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TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1944

Moderator

RODNEY C. WOODMAN

Town Clerk

DONALD C. BRUCE

Deputy Town Clerk

LURA H. KEDDY

Town Treasurer

FREDERICK W. SAWYER

Selectmen

MAURICE G. JEWETT

WINSTON F. HANLON

A. WALLACE WILKINS

Highway Agent

ANDREW C. ELLIOTT

Tax Collector

DONALD C. BRUCE

LURA H. KEDDY

Auditors

HUGO TRENTINI

FRED S. KIMBALL

Supervisors of Check List

J. ERNEST MEDLYN

MARIO D. BIANCHI

CHARLES W. ROBINSON

Firewards

JEREMIAH J. CASEY

PAUL N. HUTCHINSON

JOHN J. CASEY

Water Commissioners

KITT K. STIMSON

RALPH J. GAINNEY

OWEN P. FISK

Superintendent Water Works

ROBERT CAMPBELL

Trustee of Mary A. Lull Property

SAMUEL A. LOVEJOY	Term expires	1946
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Trustees of Trust Funds

FREDERICK W. SAWYER	Term expires	1945
BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT	" "	1946

Superintendent of Cemeteries

JOHN KOLEHMAINEN

Chief of Police

OLIVER G. WILLIAMSON

Health Officer

OSCAR BURNS, M. D.

Cemetery Trustees

HENRY A. ROMANI	Term expires	1945
RODNEY C. WOODMAN	" "	1946
LEON C. TUCKER	" "	1947

Trustees Free Library

BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT	Term expires	1945
HARLAND H. HOLT	" "	1946
RUTH D. FRENCH	" "	1947

Parks and Playgrounds Commission

DAISY E. STICKNEY	Term expires	1945
MAURICE L. DANIELS	" "	1946
ANTHONY J. ROSSI	" "	1946
ANDREW C. ELLIOTT	" "	1947
STANLEY W. HAYWARD	" "	1947

WARRANT FOR ANNUAL MEETING THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Milford in the
County of Hillsborough in said State,
qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall
in said Milford on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of
March next at eight of the clock in the forenoon, to
act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the
year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be neces-
sary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and
make appropriations of the same.

3. To act upon the reports of all town officers,
agents, and committees, and raise and appropriate
money relative thereto.

4. To see if the town will vote to authorize the
selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes, if
necessary, as provided by law of 1907.

5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to
raise and appropriate for town officers' salaries, town
officers' expenses, election and registration expenses,
municipal court expenses, repairs and supplies for the
town house, police protection, fire protection, moth
extermination, collection of garbage, health depart-
ment, vital statistics, town maintenance of highways,
general expense of highway department, street light-
ing, Milford Free Library, town poor, parks and play-
grounds, cemeteries, interest on temporary loans, in-
terest on bonded debts, interest on serial notes, water
and electric utilities, Livermore Community Associa-
tion, work on town trees, damages and legal expense,

town construction of highways, sidewalk construction, sewer construction and maintenance, payment on principal of debts, and county taxes.

6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$444.00 for advertising the town through the Monadnock Region Association.

7. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town through Tax Collector's deeds.

8. To see if the town will vote to support United States membership in a general system of international cooperation, such as that proposed at the Dumbarton Oaks Conference, having police power to maintain the peace of the world.

9. To see if the town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the Division of Municipal Accounting, and to make an appropriation to cover the expense of such audit.

10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for the purchase of approximately two acres of land formerly known as the Tonella Quarry located on Nashua Street, the same to be used as a Town Dump.

11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$607.49 for T.R.A. work on highways.

12. To see if the town will vote to approve plans and specifications to be presented by the Committee appointed to represent the town in regard to the William Y. Wadleigh Memorial Library Building.

13. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$658.29 to reimburse the Milford Water Works Department for money paid out during the year of 1944 for maintenance of hydrants.

14. To see if the town will vote as follows: That the Tax Collector be authorized to appoint deputies for the purpose of collecting delinquent poll taxes.

15. To see if the town will vote to discontinue that part of the Old Mason road leading from Harlan Burns' house to the stone bridge on the new Mason road, and accept in its place the improved road now in use.

16. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1100.00 to raise the pay of the firemen.

17. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$550.00 to buy new hose for the fire department.

18. To see if the town will vote to paint the Jones Crossing bridge and raise and appropriate money for the same.

19. To see if the town will vote to buy a new Combination Snow Plow and Grader, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

20. To see if the town will authorize and instruct the Selectmen to appoint a committee of three to investigate and bring in recommendations at the next town meeting for the location of an airport for the Town of Milford, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for expenses of said committee.

21. To see if the town will vote to continue the practice of allowing the discount for early payment of taxes.

22. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to employ a Superintendent of Public Works to assume management of Highway Department, Sewer Department, and Water Department, and any other public works.

23. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 26th day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty five.

MAURICE G. JEWETT,
WINSTON F. HANLON,
A. WALLACE WILKINS,
Selectmen of Milford.

BUDGET

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the En-
suing Year, Jan. 1, 1945 to Dec. 31, 1945, Compared
with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the
Previous Year, Feb. 1, 1944 to Dec. 31, 1944

Sources of Revenue	Actual 1944	Estimated 1945
From State:		
Interest and dividends tax	\$3406 10	\$3400 00
Railroad tax	663 93	660 00
Savings bank tax	700 58	700 00
For fighting forest fires	76 51	
From Local Sources Except Taxes:		
Business licenses and permits	74 50	200 00
Fines and forfeits, Municipal Court		100 00
Rent of town hall and other buildings	1247 00	1000 00
Income of departments:		
(a) Highway, including rental of equipment	246 43	250 00
(b) Sewers	64 60	
Ash collection	66 00	66 00
Income from municipally owned utilities:		
(a) Water dept., note paid \$1000; int. \$293.75	1293 75	412 50
Motor vehicle permit fees	2736 42	2800 00
Dog licenses	757 97	750 00
Loans, anticipation of taxes	10000 00	
Miscellaneous:		
Reimbursement, lights	15 00	
Candidates' filing fees	10 00	
Sale of blacksmith shop	15 00	
Sale of histories	2 00	

Hillsboro Mills:

Refund, police dept.	1168 92	
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From Local Taxes Other**Than Property Taxes:**

(a) Poll taxes—regular at \$2	2586 00	2500 00
(b) National Bank Stock taxes	108 80	108 80
Discount on 1944 taxes	307 05	300 00
Tax sales redeemed	483 96	

Total Revenues from

All Sources Except

Property Taxes

\$26,030 52	\$13,247 30
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Amount to be Raised by

Property Taxes

125,571 71

Total Revenues

\$151,602 23

Bal. on hand Jan. 31, 1944

41,563 62

\$193,165 85

Purposes of Expenditures	Actual 1944	Estimated 1945
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Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town officers' salaries	\$ 3005 00	\$ 3020 00
Town officers' expenses	1701 46	2200 00
Election and registration exp.	297 34	125 00
Municipal Court expenses	463 00	500 00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	3216 63	3300 00

Protection of Persons
and Property:

Police department	3715 06	4500 00
Fire department	4450 00	5000 00
Police car	412 08	

Bounties	32 50	
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Health:

Health department, including hospitals	596 00	700 00
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Vital statistics	111 00	125 00
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Sewer maintenance	584 05	600 00
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Garbage	425 00	800 00
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Highways and Bridges:

Town maintenance:		
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Summer	7390 84	6000 00
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Winter	3176 53	7500 00
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Street lighting	4819 83	5300 00
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Town road aid	299 81	607 49
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Oiling roads	3522 80	3600 00
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Tree work	150 00	200 00
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Libraries:	2500 00	2750 00
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Public Welfare:

Civilian defense	100 00	
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Town poor	3570 96	4500 00
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Old age assistance	4899 92	6500 00
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Patriotic Service:

History committee	34 78	100 00
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Memorial Day and other celebrations	300 00	300 00
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Special appropriation, American Legion	75 00	
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Recreation:

Monadnock Region	200 00	
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Parks and playgrounds	800 00	600 00
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Public Service Enterprises:

Community House	200 00	200 00
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Cemeteries	900 00	1000 00
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Wilton Water Works, hydrants	180 00	180 00
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Damages and legal expenses	50 00	100 00
Dog damage	50 00	
Insurance, Community House	97 50	

Interest:

On temporary loans	19 59	50 00
Discount on taxes	307 05	300 00
On long term notes	443 75	500 00

**Outlay for New Construction and
Permanent Improvements:**

Sidewalk construction		800 00
Sewer construction	1221 41	400 00

Indebtedness:
 Payment on Principal
of Debt:

(a) Abatements	749 40	1000 00
(b) Long term notes	4000 00	3000 00
(c) Taxes bought	311 29	1000 00
(d) Temporary loan	10000 00	

Payments to Other**Governmental Divisions:**

State of N. H., special poll taxes	3288 00	
County taxes	20138 75	20138 75
Payments to school districts	58991 48	67299 34

Total Expenditures	\$151,797 81	\$154,795 58
1943 orders paid in 1944	970 67	
	<hr/> \$152,768 48	
Less 1944 orders outstanding	1,481 92	
	<hr/> \$151,286 56	
Balance Dec. 31, 1944	41,879 29	
	<hr/> \$193,165 85	

INVENTORY OF TOWN FOR 1944

Real Estate	\$3,246,889 00
Horses, 68	6,435 00
Cows, 546	69,480 00
Other Neat Stock ,20	2,045 00
Goats, 7	86 00
Hogs, 11	195 00
Fowls, 11,913	16,294 00
Portable Mills, 2	300 00
Wood and Lumber	45,691 00
Pumps and Tanks	12,580 00
Stock in Trade	465,057 00
Mills and Machinery	353,149 00
Electric Plant	225,969 00

	\$4,444,170 00
Poll Taxes, (Special 2080)	10,206 00
(Regular 1983)	
Soldiers' exemption	40,450 00
1944 Tax Rate \$2.70 per hundred	

REPORT OF AUDITORS

We certify that we have examined the items, accounts and vouchers of the following departments for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1944, and to the best of our knowledge and belief they are correct:

Clerk of Selectmen

Town Treasurer

Treasurer, Cemetery Trustees

Justice of the Municipal Court

Treasurer, Milford Free Library

L. H. Keddy, Town Clerk (Deputy)

L. H. Keddy, Tax Collector

Treasurer, Livermore Community House

Treasurer, Trustees of Trust Funds

Treasurer, Memorial Day Committee

Treasurer, Parks and Playgrounds

Treasurer, Lull Memorial Trustees

Treasurer, Planning Board

Treasurer, Library Site Committee

Overseer of the Poor

Treasurer, Board of Firewards

Treasurer, Board of Water Commissioners

Fire insurance policies on town properties appear to be adequate and in force.

Surety bonds on all Town Officers requiring bonds were found to be properly approved and in full force.

We examined the securities in the custody of the Trustees of Trust Funds and found them to be in proper order.

We also examined the books of the Milford School

District and the Treasurer of the School District for the year ending June 30, 1944 and found them correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Respectfully submitted,

H. E. TRENTINI,
F. S. KIMBALL,
Auditors.

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

1. Town hall, lands and buildings	\$ 40,000 00
Furniture and equipment	3,000 00
2. Libraries, lands and buildings	
Furniture and equipment	12,000 00
4. Fire department, lands and buildings	
Equipment	24,500 00
5. Highway department, lands and buildings	3,000 00
Equipment	7,000 00
6. Parks, commons and playgrounds	2,000 00
7. Water supply, if owned by town	160,000 00
9. Schools, lands and buildings	165,000 00
Equipment	5,000 00
11. All lands and buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds:	
Ralph W. Ware, 7½ acres	
Palmer land, Dist. No. 5	\$100 00
Erwyne Seabury, lot on Prospect St.	150 00
Smalley-Souhegan Granite Co., Cutts land, Brookline road	300 00
Mrs. Carrie E. Barker Est., 28 acres sprout land, no. and w. by Frye, so. by Dickson, east by Jones	300 00
John Q. Hodgman Est., 3½ acres Hamblett land	25 00
Total	\$421,500 00

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Cash in hands of treasurer		\$41,879 29
Unredeemed Taxes:		
(from tax sale on account of)		
(a) Levy of 1943	\$ 157 26	
(b) Levy of 1942	493 04	
(c) Levy of 1941 and previous years	1,939 18	
	-----	2,589 48
Uncollected Taxes:		
(a) Levy of 1944		
Poll	\$3110 00	
Property	7129 65	
	-----	\$10,239 65
(b) Levy of 1943		
Poll	\$438 00	
Property	103 22	
	-----	541 22
(c) Levy of 1942 and previous years		
Poll	\$2266 00	
Property	501 73	
	-----	2,767 73
	-----	13,548 60
Total Assets		\$58,017 37
Grand Total		\$58,017 37
Net Surplus, Jan. 31, 1944	\$3,073 56	
Net Surplus, Dec. 31, 1944	503 85	

Decrease of Surplus	\$2,569 71	

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:	
Orders outstanding, 1944	\$ 1,481 92

Due to State:

Special \$3.00 poll taxes:

(a) Uncollected—due State when collected	1,896 00
(b) Collected—not re- mitted to State Treas.	852 54

Due to School Districts:

(a) Dog licenses	707 97
(b) Bal. of appropriation	29,075 09
	----- \$34,013 52

Long Term Notes Outstanding:

New Standpipe	\$17,500 00
Amherst Street and Town House alteration	6,000 00
	----- 23,500 00

Total Liabilities	\$57,513 52
Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus),	503 85

Grand Total	----- \$58,017 37
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Town of Milford**RECEIPTS AND****RECEIPTS****Current Revenue:****From Local Taxes:**

Total taxes committed
to collector,

1944 \$130,334 91

Less discounts and

abatements, '44 972 45

Less uncoll., '44 10,239 65

1. Property taxes, current
year, actually coll. \$112,395 99

2. Poll taxes, current year,
regular at \$2, actu-
ally coll. \$2586.00; int. 28c 2,586 28

3. Poll taxes, current year,
special at \$3, actually
collected \$4140.00; int. 54c 4,140 54

4. National Bank Stock taxes 108 80

5. Total of current year's collections \$119,231 61

1944 abatements 665 40

Discount on 1944 taxes 307 05

6. Property and poll taxes, previous
years, actually collected 8,369 50

7. Tax sales redeemed 483 96

From State:

9. Interest and dividend tax 3,406 10

10. Railroad tax 663 93

11. Savings bank tax 700 58

14. Fighting forest fires 76 51

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

18. Dog licenses 757 97

19. Business licenses and permits 74 50

21. Rent of town property 1,247 00

PAYMENTS For the Year Ended December 31, 1944

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses

General Government:

1. Town officers' salaries	\$ 3005 00
2. Town officers' expenses	1701 46
3. Election and registration expenses	297 34
4. Municipal court expenses	463 00
5. Expenses town hall and other town buildings	3216 63

Protection of Persons and Property:

6. Police department, including care of tramps	3665 06
7. Fire department, including forest fires	4500 00
8. Police car	412 08
9. Bounties	32 50

Health:

11. Health department	596 00
12. Vital statistics	111 00
13. Sewer maintenance	584 05
Garbage	425 00

Highways and Bridges:

14. Town road aid	299 81
15. Town maintenance (summer \$7390.84; winter \$3176.53)	10567 37
16. Street lighting	4819 83
17. Oiling roads	3522 80
Tree work	150 00

Libraries:

18. Libraries	2500 00
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Town of Milford**RECEIPTS AND****RECEIPTS**

22. Interest received on taxes (Included in Items 1 and 2)		
25. Income from departments		419 03
27. Registration of motor vehicles,		
1943-44 permits	\$ 51 32	
1944-45 permits	2685 10	
	-----	2,736 42
Total Current Revenue Receipts		\$139,139 56
Receipts Other Than		
Current Revenue:		
29. Temporary loans in anticipa- tion of taxes during year	\$10,000 00	
30. Long term notes during year		
Milford Water Works:		
Note \$1000; int. \$293.75	1,293 75	
33. Refunds, Hillsborough Mills, Police Dept.	1,168 92	
Total Receipts Other	-----	
Than Current Revenue		12,462 67
Total Receipts from All Sources		\$151,602 23
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1944		41,563 62
Grand Total		\$193,165 85

PAYMENTS For the Year Ended December 31, 1944

PAYMENTS

Public Welfare:

Civilian defense	100 00
19. Old age assistance	4899 92
20. Town poor	3570 96

Patriotic Purposes:

History Committee	34 78
22. Aid to G. A. R. Memorial Day exercises	300 00
23. Special appropriation, American Legion	75 00

Recreation:

Monadnock Region	200 00
24. Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts	800 00

Public Service Enterprises:

26. Community House Ass'n.	200 00
27. Cemeteries	900 00
28. Wilton Water Works, hydrants	180 00
Insurance, Community House	97 50

Unclassified:

29. Damages and legal expenses	100 00
30. Taxes bought by town	311 29
31. Abatements	749 40

Total Current Maintenance	-----
Expenses	\$53,387 78

Interest:

32. Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$ 19 59
33. Paid on long term notes:	
New Standpipe	293 75

PAYMENTS For the Year Ended December 31, 1944

PAYMENTS

Amherst Street and Town		
House alterations	150 00	
34. Discount on 1944 taxes	307 05	
Total Interest Payments	-----	770 39
Outlay for New Construction		
& Permanent Improvements:		
41. Sewer construction	1221 41	
Total Outlay Payments	-----	1221 41
Indebtedness:		
44. Payments on temporary loans		
in anticipation of taxes	10000 00	
45. Payments on long term notes:		
New Standpipe	1000 00	
Amherst Street and Town		
House alterations	3000 00	
49. Outstanding orders (1943)		
paid during year	970 67	
Total Indebtedness Payments	-----	14,970 67
Payments to Other Govern-		
mental Divisions:		
50. Special Poll Taxes at \$3		
paid to State	3288 00	
51. Taxes paid to County	20138 75	
53. Payments to School Districts	58991 48	
Total Payments to Other Gov-	-----	
ernmental Divisions		82,418 23
Total Payments for All Purposes		\$152,768 48
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1944		41,879 29
Grand Total		\$194,647 77
Less 1944 orders outstanding		1,481 92
		\$193,165 85

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Detail 1. Town Officers' Salaries:

F. S. Kimball, auditor	\$ 75 00
H. E. Trentini, auditor	75 00
Lura H. Keddy, deputy town clerk	600 00
Lura H. Keddy, tax collector	600 00
W. F. Hanlon, selectman	400 00
A. W. Wilkins, selectman	400 00
M. G. Jewett, selectman	500 00
F. W. Sawyer, town treasurer	340 00
J. J. Casey, building inspector	15 00
	----- \$3005 00

Detail 2. Town Officers' Expenses:

Lura H. Keddy, auto permits	\$250 00
Lura H. Keddy, expenses	8 17
Mildred Metcalf, clerical work	4 75
Bernice Keith, clerical work	16 00
Margaret Lorden, clerical work	173 00
Dorothy Lorden, clerical work	4 00
Audrey Batterson, clerical work	2 40
N. H. Assessors Association	2 00
Burroughs Adding Machine Co.	10 50
Souhegan National Bank	7 50
J. J. Kirby, P. M.	165 32
A. L. Keyes Agency	146 71
Edson C. Eastman Co.	36 41
Vernon D. Holt	39 60
Elgin F. Burt	32 77
Donat Corriveau, Reg. of Deeds	55 23
M. G. Jewett, car assessing and expenses at tax meeting	31 50
Fred L. Tower Co.	5 00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	43 75
Cabinet Press	629 85
J. P. Melzer Estate	35 50

S. C. Terris	1 50	
	-----	\$1701 46

Detail 3. Election and Registration:

Rodney C. Woodman, moderator	\$25 00	
Charles W. Robinson, supervisor	67 00	
Mario Bianchi, supervisor	57 00	
J. Ernest Medlyn, supervisor	60 00	
H. E. Trentini, ballot clerk	4 00	
F. S. Kimball, ballot clerk	12 00	
Ida M. Ritchie, ballot clerk	12 00	
Elizabeth Richardson, ballot clerk	8 00	
Elizabeth Cain	12 00	
Custos Morum Rebekah Lodge	5 10	
Lura H. Keddy	3 21	
Edson C. Eastman Co.	5 12	
A. Wallace Wilkins	3 00	
David Deans, Jr.	4 00	
Rita Foley	4 00	
W. J. Philbrick	15 91	
	-----	\$297 34

Detail 4. Municipal Court:

B. F. Prescott, Justice	\$400 00	
A. B. Rotch, Associate Justice	3 00	
Florence M. Sweeney, clerk	60 00	
	-----	\$463 00

Detail 5. Town Hall:

Tullio Bianchi	\$414 00	
George L. Grant	330 00	
Benjamin Signor	216 00	
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	546 83	
Draper Fuel Co.	238 57	
Daniels Service Station	10 70	
Public Service Co.	189 60	
County Stores	49 88	
Economy Supply Co.	20 20	

John R. Martin	80 91
Frank Hartshorn Co.	6 00
Milford Water Works	16 00
Industrial Electronics	23 93
C. B. Dolge Co.	91 35
Sunset Grocery Co.	1 31
Rotch Insurance Agency	64 25
A. L. Keyes Insurance Agency	99 08
Jewett Insurance Agency	69 05
Calvin Goldsmith	7 80
Mutual Studios	260 00
Edgar H. Brown	50 00
Warren H. Chase	17 19
B. & M. R. R.	72
Lura H. Keddy	2 00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	13 01
Du-Ev Products Co.	188 98
People's Market	84
Lester Adams	5 00
Elgin F. Burt	11 03
Ralph J. Sloan	170 00
John J. Casey	17 65
Emerson & Son	4 75

	\$3216 63

Detail 6. Police:

W. O. Kimball	\$1277 56
Edgar H. Brown	968 00
Robert Courage	471 50
Oliver G. Williamson	320 00
Tullio Bianchi	122 38
Leon Caswell	61 50
Raymond Clouette	12 50
Clarence Clair	9 00
Earle Randall	75 25
Calvin Goldsmith	53 00
Thomas O'Neil	85 95

B. W. Signor	5 00	
Perley Jones	12 50	
County Stores	7 05	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	70 63	
M. Linsky & Bros. Inc.	4 50	
Emerson & Son	27 50	
S. M. Spencer Mfg. Co.	33 78	
R. A. Dyer	4 19	
J. P. Melzer Estate	12 00	
American Fire Equipment Co.	18 41	
W. J. Philbrick	2 80	
Rainbow Neon Co.	24 00	
Vernon D. Holt	3 65	
W. E. Aubuchon Co.	2 20	
Cabinet Press	3 40	
John Deschamps	19 50	
Fred's Socony Station	1 71	
N. H. Police Retirement Board	5 60	
	-----	\$3715 06

Detail 7. Police Car:

American Fire Equipment Co.	\$ 48 00	
Hanlon Insurance Agency	26 70	
Economy Supply Co.	47 61	
Jewett Insurance Agency	22 00	
Elm Street Garage	33 30	
Hutchinson & Coney	195 12	
Draper Chevrolet Co.	39 35	
	-----	\$412 08

Detail 8. Fire Department:

J. J. Casey, Chief	\$4206 85	
J. J. Casey, forest fires	243 15	
	-----	\$4450 00

Detail 9. Bounties:

Harlan E. Burns, Jr.	\$ 50	
Elmer Wells	2 00	

Walter Kane	3 00	
Harry Melendy	1 00	
Carl Holland	1 00	
Eugene Woodward	50	
Richard Taylor	1 00	
Harold Taylor	3 00	
Charles Stickney	1 00	
Domenic Calvetti	1 00	
Ernest Adams	3 00	
Harlan Burns	50	
Fred A. Conrey, Jr.	6 00	
Fred A. Conrey, Sr.	4 50	
George Burrows	50	
Sherman Foote	1 00	
James Mahan	1 00	
James Philbrick	50	
George Hartshorn	50	
George Emery	1 00	
	-----	\$32 50

Detail 10. Damage by Dogs:

H. C. Dewey Smith	\$50 00
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Detail 11. Health Department:

Milford Chapter A. R. C.	\$500 00	
Oscar Burns, M. D.	96 00	
	-----	\$596 00

Detail 12. Garbage:

Donald K. Holt	\$375 00	
Ralph W. Dunklee	50 00	
	-----	\$425 00

Detail 13. Vital Statistics:

Lura H. Keddy	\$93 50
Rev. Victor L. Rankin	25
Rev. Laurence Piper	75
Rev. W. Frederick Addison	1 00
J. Leonard Sweeney	25

Rev. E. F. Quirk	1 00	
Rev. M. J. Moher	25	
Rev. Otto Lyding	25	
Rev. Frank A. M. Coad	25	
Rev. D. H. McAninch	50	
Rev. R. R. Bletzer	25	
Rev. Leland L. Maxfield	25	
Rev. Herbert Walker	25	
Rev. Lyle Lieder	25	
B. F. Prescott	25	
Horton S. Allen	25	
S. G. Davis M. D.	75	
Clifford Howland, M. D.	2 25	
Oscar Burns, M. D.	6 50	
John D. Spring, M. D.	50	
Arthur L. Wallace, M. D.	1 25	
Irene D. Ravenelle	25	
	-----	\$111 00

Detail 14. Sewer Maintenance:

Milford Water Works	\$215 00	
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	70	
George E. Trudel Co.	49 50	
Tulbind Sewer Machinery Sales Co.	6 28	
N. H. Explosive Co.	11 75	
Cabinet Press	7 50	
County Stores	78	
C & W Heating Co.	9 84	
Henry Sleeper Co.	130 00	
Alex Provencal	111 20	
J. W. Hamilton	13 50	
M. Koski	16 00	
H. Bourke	12 00	
	-----	\$584 05

Detail 15. Civilian Defense:

Hanlon Insurance Agency	\$ 5 00	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	29 34	

County Stores	75	
Jewett Insurance Agency	10 00	
H. H. Holt, chairman	54 91	
	-----	\$100 00

Detail 16. History Committee:

Mrs. Raymond Wright	\$27 28	
Cabinet Press	7 50	
	-----	\$34 78

Detail 17. Street Lighting:

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$4819 83
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Detail 18. Highways (Summer Maintenance):

Leon Caswell	\$851 35
William Holt	288 50
Carl Bishop	652 00
John Daniels	654 60
Victor Maki	681 50
William Stoddard	595 50
Alex Provencal	27 00
Matt Koski	284 00
Andrew Elliott	693 00
Dennis F. Mahoney	405 00
George Dinsmore	98 00
O. W. Carleton	116 20
Fred Boudreau	53 80
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	16 90
Langdell Lumber Co.	31 50
Elm Street Garage	281 96
Durant's Service Station	20 62
John R. Martin	9 09
Public Service Co.	11 00
Daniels Service Station	47 52
Coburn Motor Service	75 27
Ralph Leach	133 14
Merrill's Garage	10 06

Ernest Gagnon	2 58
Hutchinson & Coney	121 53
County Stores	28 83
Esso Station	49 80
Barbara Henderson	33 20
Robert Bryant	5 00
Tidewater Assoc. Oil Co.	72 90
H. H. McGuire Co.	437 72
Draper Fuel Co.	6 50
Kittredge & Prescott	28 80
Cabinet Press	3 10
Winston Kittredge	112 75
B. & M. R. R.	77
Vernon D. Holt	37 10
Souhegan Auto Wrecking Co.	9 00
Economy Supply Co.	90
W. F. Winslow Co.	15 00
Dennis F. Lorden	11 21
Parker Danner Co.	11 75
John Deschamps	46 75
R. G. Watts	6 00
Milford Water Works	6 00
R. C. Hazelton Co.	296 14
J. J. Casey	10 00
	----- \$7390 84

Detail 19. Highways (Winter Maintenance):

Leon Caswell	\$377 76
William Holt	116 00
Carl Bishop	289 25
John Daniels	141 95
Victor Maki	308 75
William Stoddard	96 00
Andrew Elliott	313 00
E. J. Trombly	108 00
Clarence Sanderson	47 25
Louis Smith	8 00

William White	2 40	
Harlan Caswell	5 00	
Percy Noon	6 00	
O. W. Carleton	211 75	
Robert Courage	203 50	
Donald Dunklee	236 25	
Alex Provencal	36 00	
County Stores	3 38	
N. H. Explosive Co.	10 29	
Economy Supply Co.	4 50	
Esso Service Station	4 28	
Fred Boudreau	4 48	
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	173 12	
Adelard Picard	12 65	
R. C. Hazelton Co.	280 04	
Elm Street Garage	11 30	
Durant's Service Station	4 28	
Daniels Service Station	61 81	
Coburn Motor Service Station	4 29	
Ralph Leach	23 75	
Merrill's Garage	7 92	
Ernest Gagnon	15 32	
Hutchinson and Coney	48 26	
	-----	\$3176 53

Detail 20. Oiling:

Leon Caswell	\$ 45 00
John Daniels	36 00
Carl Bishop	50 40
Victor Maki	43 80
William Stoddard	43 80
Matt Koski	43 80
Guy Bills	34 20
Frank Bills	34 20
George Parker	34 20
Joe Malaguti	16 50
Alex Provencal	39 00

Fred Willard	208 60	
O. W. Carleton	88 55	
Town of Amherst	89 10	
Leon R. Buxton	40 80	
Coburn Motor Service	6 24	
Merrill's Garage	13 41	
H. H. Maguire Co.	2249 71	
Treasurer State of New Hampshire	405 49	
	-----	\$3522 80

Detail 21. West Street Sewer:

Henry Sleeper	\$135 00	
Alex Provencal	175 20	
S. Romeo	126 30	
M. Koski	125 50	
J. Dunbar	32 50	
Harry Bourke	88 80	
George E. Trudel Co.	273 11	
Jean Lariviere	27 00	
Parker Danner Co.	21 00	
Concord Foundry & Machine Co.	38 00	
H. P. Welch Co.	3 60	
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	14 90	
Milford Water Works	160 50	
	-----	\$1221 41

Detail 22. Tree Work:

Domenic Calvetti	\$150 00
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Detail 23. Library:

B. F. Prescott, Treasurer	\$2500 00
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Detail 24. Memorial Day:

Guy Fitch	\$300 00
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Detail 25. Special—American Legion:

Ricciardi-Hartshorn Post	\$75 00
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Detail 26. Special Appropriation:

Monadnock Region Association	\$200 00
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Detail 27. Parks and Playgrounds:

Anthony J. Rossi	\$800 00
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Detail 28. Town Poor:

Georgianna Calderara, overseer	\$2994 96
Georgianna Calderara, salary	500 00
Milford Water Works	76 00

	\$3570 96

Detail 29. Old Age Assistance:

State Treasurer of New Hampshire	\$4899 92
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Detail 30. Cemeteries:

Cemetery Trustees	\$900 00
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Detail 31. Community House:

Christel Knight	\$200 00
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**Detail 32. Special Appropriation—
Community House:**

Kittredge & Prescott, insurance	\$97 50
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Detail 33. Appropriation to Water Works:

Wilton Water Works, for hydrants	\$180 00
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Detail 34. Legal Expenses:

C. Bradley Frost	\$50 00
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Detail 35. Taxes Bought:

Lura H. Keddy	\$277 77
Lura H. Keddy, interest and costs	33 52

	\$311 29

Detail 36. Interest on Serial Notes:

Souhegan National Bank	\$318 75
A. L. Keyes Memorial Fund	125 00

	\$443 75

Detail 37. Interest on Temporary Loans:

Souhegan National Bank	\$19 59
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Detail 38. Discount on Taxes:

Lura H. Keddy, Collector	\$307 05
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Detail 39. Town Road Aid:

Treasurer State of New Hampshire	\$299 81
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Detail 40. Special Polls:

Treasurer State of New Hampshire	\$3288 00
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Detail 41. Abatements:

Lura H. Keddy, Collector	\$749 40
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Detail 42. Temporary Loans:

Souhegan National Bank	\$10,000 00
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Detail 43. Payment on Long Term Notes:

Souhegan National Bank:	
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Water Works notes	\$1000 00
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Amherst Street and Town	
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House notes	3000 00
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Detail 44. County Tax:

Treasurer of Hillsborough County	\$20,138 75
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Detail 45. Schools:

M. G. Jewett, Treasurer	\$58,355 58
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M. G. Jewett, Treasurer, dog taxes	635 90
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REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

F. W. SAWYER, Treasurer,

In account with Town of Milford

Dr.

Balance on hand Jan. 31, 1944	\$41,563 62
Amounts received as follows:	
Lura H. Keddy, tax collector:	
Property taxes 1944	112,504 79
Special poll taxes 1944	4,140 54
Regular poll taxes 1944	2,586 28
Taxes, 1943	7,736 73
Taxes 1942	29 28
Taxes previous to 1942	241 72
Abatements, property taxes 1944	295 40
Abatements, special poll taxes 1944	204 00
Abatements, regular poll taxes 1944	166 00
Abatements, 1943	44 00
Abatements, 1942	4 00
Abatements previous to 1942	36 00
Discount on 1944 taxes reimbursed	307 05
Taxes on property sold Town for unpaid 1943 taxes	277 77
Lura H. Keddy, Deputy Town Clerk:	
Automobile permits	2,736 42
Dog licenses	757 97
State of New Hampshire:	
Savings Bank Tax	700 58
Railroad tax	663 93
Interest and dividends tax	3,406 10
Forest fires	76 51
Milford Water Works:	
Serial notes paid	1,000 00
Interest on outstanding notes	293 75
Souhegan National Bank:	
Loan in anticipation of taxes	10,000 00

Selectmen:

Rents from town property	1,247 00
Licenses and permits	74 50
Property redeemed by payment of taxes	483 96
Highway department	246 43
Ash collections	66 00
Reimbursement for lights	15 00
Candidates filing fees	10 00
Sewer connections	64 60
Sale of blacksmith shop	15 00
Histories sold	2 00

Hillsborough Mills:

Refund, police department	1,168 92
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\$193,165 85

Cr.

Total Selectmen's orders issued 1944	\$151,797 81
Less orders outstanding	1,481 92

\$150,315 89

Plus 1943 orders paid in 1944	970 67
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Total orders paid in 1944	\$151,286 56
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1944	41,879 29

\$193,165 85

Respectfully submitted, ,
 FREDERICK W. SAWYER,
 Town Treasurer.

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

DOG ACCOUNT

349 Dogs licensed and 3 Kennel licenses issued from
February 1, 1944 to December 31, 1944

Dr.

207 male dogs at \$2.00 each	\$414 00
39 female dogs at \$5.00 each	195 00
98 spayed female dogs at \$2.00 each	196 00
4 male dogs for part of a year	4 70
1 spayed female dog for part of a year	1 00
1 kennel license covering not more than 10 dogs	20 00
2 kennel licenses covering not more than 5 dogs at \$12.00 each	24 00
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	\$854 70

Cr.

Amount paid town treasurer	\$757 97
Dog tags	15 43
Dog license notices in Milford Cabinet	10 90
Commission for licensing dogs and issuing kennel licenses	70 40
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	\$854 70

AUTO ACCOUNT

(1943) Auto permits issued from Feb. 1, 1944 to April 1, 1944	\$ 51 32
1038 (1944) Auto permits issued from Feb. 1, 1944 to Dec. 31, 1944	2685 10
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	\$2736 42
Total amount paid town treasurer	\$2736 42

Respectfully submitted,
LURA H. KEDDY,
Deputy Town Clerk.

SYNOPSIS OF RECORD OF TOWN MEETING

March 14, 1944

Total number of votes cast 513.

The polls were opened at 8 o'clock A. M., and the business meeting at 9:30. Prayer was offered by Rev. Leland M. Maxfield, pastor of the Baptist Church.

Acting under Article 1 of the Town Warrant the following town officers were elected: Town Clerk, Donald C. Bruce; Town Treasurer, Frederick W. Sawyer; Selectman for three years, A. Wallace Wilkins; Library Trustee for three years, Ruth French; Trustee of Trust Funds for three years, Benjamin F. Prescott; Fire Wardens, Jeremiah J. Casey, John J. Casey, Paul N. Hutchinson; Auditors, Fred S. Kimball, Hugo E. Trentini.

Article 2. It was voted to raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges.

Article 3. A motion was made by Fred T. Wadleigh that all reports of Town Officials be accepted as printed. This motion was adopted.

Article 4. On motion of Fred T. Wadleigh, it was voted that the Town be authorized to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

Article 5. Working under this article, the following sums of money were raised and appropriated:

Town Officers' Salaries	\$3020 00
Town Officers' Expenses	2000 00
(Special Assessing Expense)	600 00
Election and Registration Expenses:	325 00
Municipal Court Expenses	500 00
Expenses of Town Hall and Other Buildings	2900 00
Police Department	3900 00
Fire Department	4500 00

Police Car	350 00
Health Department	700 00
Vital Statistics	175 00
Sewer Maintenance	600 00
Garbage	500 00
Town Maintenance	6000 00
Street Lighting	5000 00
Winter Maintenance	4000 00
Oiling Streets	3600 00
Tree Work	200 00
Libraries	2500 00
Town Poor	5500 00
Old Age Assistance	4600 00
Community House	200 00
Memorial Day and Other Celebrations	300 00
Parks and Playgrounds	800 00
Water rental of hydrants in Pine Valley, Paid to Town of Wilton	180 00
Cemeteries	900 00
Discount on Taxes	250 00
Interest on Long Term Notes	750 00
Sidewalk Construction	800 00
Abatements	1000 00
Legal Expenses	100 00
Taxes Bought	1500 00
Payment on Principal of Debt (Long term notes)	3000 00
County Taxes	20,138 75

Unanimous approval was voted for the above expenditures and the following were voted for under special articles or after discussion:

Civilian Defense, Article 8	\$100 00
Community House (special) Article 9	97 50
To reimburse Ricciardi-Hartshorn Post, American Legion (special) Article 14	75 00

Compile and preserve records of the Town of Milford, and Milford men and women in World War 2 (special) Article 15	100 00
Monadnock Region Assn., Article 6	200 00
T.R.A. work on highways, Article 10	308 41
Town Maintenance (special) repairs to town truck	300 00
Sewer Construction (special) Article 12	880 50

Article 6 It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for advertising this town through the Monadnock Region Association.

Article 7. It was voted to authorize the selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town through Tax Collectors' deeds.

Article 8. On motion of the Budget Committee it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 to be administered by the Selectmen for use of the Police Department, Fire Department, or Health Department, in any emergency that may arise due to the war.

Article 9. On motion of Benjamin F. Prescott, it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$97.50 to pay the premium on fire insurance policies written on the Community House, on March 29, 1944, for the term of three years.

Article 10. It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$308.41 for T.R.A. work on highways. This motion was made by the Budget Committee.

Article 11. Resolution 1. Presented by the Library Site Committee, the town unanimously approved locating the proposed William Y. Wadleigh Memorial on the Lull-Dearborn site. Resolution 2. Presented by the Library Site Committee, and it was voted to accept the very generous gift from Mr. and Mrs. James J. Howison of the Dr. H. H. Dearborn interest in the

Lull-Dearborn site, and extend its grateful thanks for this added evidence of their active interest in the town.

Resolution 3. This resolution was adopted that the committee with its present personnel continue to represent the Town in securing plans for the proposed library building, to be submitted to the Town for such action as it sees fit, and to represent the Town in any matters arising relative to the William Y. Wadleigh Memorial Library Trust, and the O. W. Lull Memorial so far as relates to a Memorial room in the proposed Library building.

A motion was made by Charles A. Hayward that any further appointments to the present personnel be made by the selectmen. This motion was adopted.

Article 12. On motion of the Budget Committee, it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$880.-50 to extend the sewer from the corner of West and Spaulding Streets to the house of Orazio Ciampa. This vote was unanimous.

Article 13. On recommendation of and on motion by the Budget Committee it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$250.00 for discount on taxes paid on or before the first of August. This meant a discount of one half of one percent on taxes paid before that time.

Article 14. On recommendation of the Budget Committee it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$75.00 to reimburse Ricciardi-Hartshorn Post, American Legion, for the monies they paid in excess of the appropriation for Memorial Day exercises in 1943. This was voted unanimously.

Article 15. On motion of the Budget Committee it was voted to authorize the selectmen to appoint a committee to compile and preserve the records of the Town of Milford, and Milford men and women, in

World War 2, and raise and appropriate \$100.00 for the expense of said committee.

Article 16. The following resolution was presented by the Budget Committee. That a committee of five be appointed by the Moderator to formulate plans for an observance of the 150th Anniversary of the Town of Milford, and that the sum of \$300.00 be raised and appropriated to cover the expenses of the same.

A motion was made by Fred T. Wadleigh that the sum not to exceed \$500.00 be substituted in place of the \$300.00.

Both resolution and motion were withdrawn upon action.

A motion was made by Carl Holland, Whereas; should we celebrate? There was considerable discussion and it was voted 32 in favor of observing the 150th Anniversary, and 49 against it. The recommendation was turned down.

Article 17. The following resolution was presented by the Budget Committee and unanimously adopted. "The Tax Collector take all legal procedure to collect delinquent sewer taxes, in fairness to those who have paid their taxes."

By vote of those present the meeting was adjourned at 11:55 A. M.

LURA H. KEDDY,
Deputy Town Clerk.

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

December 31, 1944

Dr.

To Poll and Property Taxes previous to 1943 tax levy, uncollected Feb. 1, 1944	\$3011 73
To interest collected since Feb. 1, 1944	67 00
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Cr.

By cash paid town treasurer	\$ 271 00
By Poll Taxes abated	40 00
By Poll and Property Taxes previous to 1943 uncollected Dec. 31, 1944	2767 73
	<hr/> \$3078 73

Dr.

To 1943 Property Tax uncollected Feb. 1, 1944	\$7109 03
To 1943 Poll Taxes uncollected Feb. 1, 1944	1158 00
To interested collected since Feb. 1, 1944 (Property \$262.42, Poll \$20.27)	282 69
To 25 added Poll Taxes	50 00
	<hr/> \$8599 72

Cr.

By cash paid town treasurer	\$7736 73
By property sold to town for unpaid 1943 taxes	277 77
By Poll Taxes abated	44 00
By Property Tax uncollected Dec. 31, 1944	103 22
By Poll Taxes uncollected Dec. 31, 1944	438 00
	<hr/> \$8599 72

Dr.

To 1944 Property Tax levy	\$120,133 81
To 1944 Poll Tax levy	9,988 00
To added Property Tax	94 50
To 42 added Poll Taxes	210 00
To 3 added Veterans' Poll Taxes	8 00
To interest collected (Property \$8.58, Poll \$.82)	9 40

 \$130,443 71

Cr.

By cash paid town treasurer	\$119,231 61
By Property Tax uncollected	7,129 65
By Poll Taxes uncollected	3,110 00
By Property Tax abated	295 40
By Poll Taxes abated	370 00
By discount allowed	307 05

 \$130,443 71

Dr.

To 1939 Sewer Tax uncollected Feb. 1, 1944	\$ 210 80
To Sewer Tax (previous years) un- collected Feb. 1, 1944	2220 55

 \$2431 35

Cr.

By 1939 Sewer Tax uncollected Dec. 31, 1944	\$ 210 80
By Sewer Tax (previous years) un- collected Dec. 31, 1944	2220 55

 \$2431 35

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNT

Dr.

	1943
Taxes sold to town	\$311 29
10% interest collected after sale	06
Redemption costs	6 72
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	\$318 07

Cr.

Remittances during year	\$160 81
Unredeemed Taxes at close of year	157 26
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	\$318 07

Dr.

	1942	1941	1940 & previous
Unredeemed Taxes			
Feb. 1, 1944	\$637.37	\$717.41	\$1339.05
12% interest collected			
after sale	10.77		38.44
Redemption costs	7.72		4.61
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	\$655.86	\$717.41	\$1382.10

Cr.

Remittances to Dec.			
31, 1944	\$162.82	\$ 20.00	\$ 140.33
Unredeemed Taxes Dec.			
31, 1944	493.04	697.41	1241.77
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	\$655.86	\$717.41	\$1382.10

Respectfully submitted,

LURA H. KEDDY,

Tax Collector.

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR

For the Year Ending November 30, 1944

DIRECT RELIEF

TOWN CHARGES

Month	No. of Cases	No. in Family	Regular Relief
January	11	14	\$ 258 75
February	11	14	354 58
March	9	12	227 96
April	11	14	438 24
May	9	12	279 28
June	8	11	197 14
July	8	10	200 26
August	9	11	322 01
September	9	10	235 80
October	9	10	229 67
November	9	10	246 45

			\$2990 14

Amount Spent for Direct Relief Was

Divided as Follows:

Food	\$ 587 66	
Rent	492 00	
Clothes	70	
Fuel	274 28	
Medical	173 50	
Board and Care	1425 99	
Public Utilities	36 01	
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Administration Expense:

Georgianna Calderara, salary	375 00
John J. Kirby, stamps	3 00
Phaneuf Press, ledger sheets	1 82

\$3369 96	

RECAPITULATION

Dr.

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1944	\$ 8 84	
Town Orders	3369 96	
	-----	\$3378 80

Cr.

Direct Relief	\$2990 14	
Administration Expense	379 82	
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1945	8 84	
	-----	\$3378 80

GEORGIANNA CALDERARA,
Overseer of Poor.

REPORT OF MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE 1944

Appropriation \$300.00	
O. W. Lull Relief Corps, for G. A. R.	
graves, 200 geraniums at 30c each	\$ 60 00
The Cabinet Press, 500 programs	5 00
Rev. Laurence F. Piper, speaker of the day	15 00
Bosworth's, 5 gross flags (used Memorial and Armistice Days)	65 00
George W. Riddle, amplifier	6 00
World War Veterans' graves, 59 geraniums at 30c, \$17.70; wreath \$2.30	20 00
Ricciardi-Hartshorn Post Band	120 00
Ammunition (firing squad)	13 33
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	\$304 33
Received from Town of Mont Vernon	
for 4 doz. flags	4 33
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	\$300 00

Respectfully submitted,

VINCENT P. BRINE, Commander,
Ricciardi-Hartshorn Post, No. 23,

GUY W. FITCH, Treasurer, American Legion.
Memorial Day Committee.

REPORT OF FIREWARDS

The Board of Firewards submits the following report for the year ending December 31, 1944:

Apparatus

Engine No. 1, Engine No. 2, Ladder No. 1, Pine Valley hose wagon, and forest fire truck; 2700 feet of 2½ inch hose in good condition; 2300 feet in fair condition; 900 feet of 1½ inch in good condition; 200 feet 1 inch hose in good condition; 150 feet in fair condition; 200 feet garden hose in good condition.

During the year the department has answered 22 box alarms, 41 still alarms, and the brush fire squad has responded to 26 brush fire calls.

For fire protection we recommend the appropriation of \$5,000.

Financial Statement

Dr.

Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1944	\$ 398 04	
Sale of wagon	10 00	
Received from Town	4450 00	
	-----	\$4858 04

Light and Power:

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Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$ 139 12
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Telephone:

N. E. Tel. and Tel. Co.	40 22
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Fire Alarm:

Tullio Bianchi	\$ 76 00	
George Grant	76 50	
B. W. Signor	28 00	
Carl Talbot	34 00	
O. W. Brnelle	135 43	
	-----	\$349 93

Steward:	
Clarence W. Seavey	106 90

Insurance:	
Hanlon Insurance Agency	375 92
Paid for chimney fires	118 00
Paid for brush fires	243 15
State Forestry Dept., knapsacks and pumps	65 00

Supplies and Repairs:	
R. A. Dyer	\$ 7 15
J. J. Casey	11 00
John R. Martin	33 18
Emerson & Son	4 05
A. H. Caldwell	3 00
G. W. Hutchinson	6 00
Peoples Market	1 50
Milford Inn	12 50
The County Stores, Inc.	15 42
W. Burgeson	2 00
Milford Machine Works	3 00
M. H. Bosworth	3 00
D. S. Darley & Co.	46 72
Railway Express Co.	6 05
John Deschamps	5 30
Daniels Service Station	1 30
Blanchard Associates	29 34
American LaFrance Corp.	9 56
Justin McCarthy Co.	85 42
Elm Street Garage	254 66
Liberty's Eastern Express	10 66
John J. Casey	23 68
Hutchinson & Coney Service Stat'n	101 17
Boston Coupling Co.	19 84
Arthur F. Dutton	5 35
Ernest Gagnon	1 50
Gamewell Company	25 42

----- \$727 77

Payroll:

Engine No. 1

Engine No. 2

Ladder No. 1

Board of Firewards

2170 83

Labor:

Theodore Bernasconi \$ 2 50

Arthur L. Dutton 2 50

Robert Bellew 2 00

George Dutton 1 00

Philip Merrill 14 70

Harold Dillon 15 50

Everett Coney 21 50

Neil Bellew 18 40

Leo Brahaney 4 00

Fred Sprague 4 50

J. J. Casey 66 50

R. A. Dyer 7 00

Lee G. Healey 1 20

Maurice Hokinson 4 00

Robert Seavey 3 75

Charles Whittier 50

John J. Casey 47 00

Herbert Williams 7 50

Joseph Caulfield 8 90

Paul N. Hutchinson 43 50

Everett Bellew 9 70

Leon Caswell 7 50

Pierre Bernasconi 13 30

Charles Colby 16 90

----- \$323 85

Miscellaneous:

John J. Casey 13 50

Paul N. Hutchinson 13 50

J. J. Casey 13 50

John J. Casey, clerk of firewards	10 00	
Postage	3 50	
	-----	\$54 00
Total		----- \$4714 69
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1944		143 35
		----- \$4858 04

Respectfully submitted,
 JEREMIAH J. CASEY,
 JOHN J. CASEY,
 P. N. HUTCHINSON,
 Firewards.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF LIBRARY

February 1, 1944 to December 31, 1944

To the Town of Milford:

The Milford Free Library has met the needs of Milford readers for another year, adequately and well, in spite of wartime delays in book orders.

The Library has received the gift of \$5947.94 from the James Day Estate, for which the Trustees express their gratitude.

The Trustees recommend that the sum of \$2750 be appropriated by the Town of Milford for the use of the Milford Free Library for the ensuing year.

Respectfully submitted,
HARLAND H. HOLT,
BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT,
RUTH D. FRENCH.

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

I herewith submit the report of the Milford Free Library from February 1, 1944 to December 31, 1944.

There was a small improvement in circulation. Naturally there has been a great demand for books on the war which we have tried to supply from the many good books coming out during the year.

There has been even greater difficulty than last year in obtaining current books. Orders will be in for weeks and sometimes months before they are filled, which is disappointing to our readers.

Book Week was observed by an exhibition of new Burgess books and a good collection of other new books for young people.

Miss Ames is having her story hour as usual this winter with the customary enjoyment to the children.

Respectfully,
ANNABELL C. SECOMBE,
Librarian.

RESOURCES

Number of bound volumes at beginning of year:		
Adult 16,753; Juvenile 2,446;	Total	19,199
Number of bound volumes added by purchase:		
Adult 352; Juvenile 111;	Total	463
Number of bound volumes added by gift:		
Adult 11; Juvenile 1;	Total	12
Number of bound volumes lost or discarded:		
Adult 71; Juvenile 50;	Total	121
Number of bound volumes at end of year:		
Adult 17,045; Juvenile 2,508;	Total	19,583

SERVICE

Number of bound volumes of non-fiction and magazines lent:		
Adult 7,587; Juvenile 1,561;	Total	9,148
Number of volumes of fiction:		
Adults 15,362; Juvenile 3,361	Total	18,723
Circulation for current year		27,871
Number of new borrowers		136

NUMBER AND CLASS OF BOOKS USED

	Number	P.C.
General works including magazines	2839	10.20
Philosophy	67	.21
Religion	223	1.00
Sociology	842	3.06
Philology	7	.02
Natural Science	220	1.00
Useful Arts	480	1.10
Fine Arts	264	1.00
Fiction	18723	67.20
Literature	589	2.11
Geography and Travels	751	3.00
Biography	1283	5.00
History	1583	5.10
	<hr/> 27,871	<hr/> 100.00

REPORT OF TREASURER OF MILFORD FREE LIBRARY

December 31, 1944

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1944	\$ 121 66
Town of Milford Appropriation	2500 00
Interest on Trust Funds	473 51
Donation from A. L. Keyes Memorial Trust	200 00
Reimbursement on withholding tax	6 30
Reimbursement on binding bill	11 92
Balance of Librarian's Petty Account	200 00
Cash received by Librarian:	
New books sold	\$115 07
Town Histories sold	11 00
Old magazine sold	25
Use of Library by out of town readers	9 56
Rental of books, Jan. to June 1944	45 39
Fines	192 98

	374 25

	\$3887 64

DISBURSEMENTS

Salary of Librarian	\$1186 30
Salary of Assistant Librarian	834 40
Books purchased	1008 68
Periodicals purchased	104 75
Water	11 00
Withholding tax paid	85 60
Lights	127 52
Supplies	10 76
Binding	17 05
Flowers	2 50

Cash paid by Librarian:

Supplies	\$ 5 54	
Postage	6 95	
Cartage	1 00	
Labor	20 75	
Magazines	6 50	
Quarterlies	3 40	
Box opener	3 50	
Newspaper (Telegraph)	10 16	
Cleaning and page service	116 45	
Paid Treasurer, balance of Petty Account	200 00	
	-----	374 25
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1944		124 83

		\$3887 64

Respectfully submitted,
 BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT,
 Treasurer.

REPORT OF MILFORD MUNICIPAL COURT
For Year Ending December 31, 1944

RECEIPTS

Fines, costs, writs and civil entries	\$284 30	
Entry fees in Small Claims Court	6 80	
	-----	\$291 10

DISBURSEMENTS

State of New Hampshire, State Treas.:		
Automobile fines and costs		\$177 40
Costs paid out to various parties in criminal cases, as per vouchers on file:		
Assistance	\$2 20	
Keeping	60	
Bail Commissioner's fee	4 00	
	-----	6 80
Postage		1 00
Kittredge & Prescott, telephone		2 40
Benj. F. Prescott, services in Small Claims Court		4 00
Paid F. W. Sawyer, town treasurer		99 50

		\$291 10

Respectfully submitted,
FLORENCE M. SWEENEY,
 Clerk.

REPORT OF POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the honorable Board of Selectmen and the Citizens of the Town of Milford: I herewith submit a report of the Milford Police Department from January 1, 1944 to January 1, 1945.

Assault	2
Arson	1
Auto accidents reported and investigated	6
Breaking and entering	1
Cars reported stolen	2
Complaints received and investigated	175
Driving under influence	4
Driving after license had been revoked	3
Driving to endanger	1
Driving at unreasonable speed	1
Drunk	4
Dogs recovered for owners	8
Doors found open	56
Fugitive from justice	1
Failing to stop at stop sign	1
Failing to keep to the right	2
Investigations for other departments	6
Larceny	2
Licenses suspended	2
Lodgers	66
Mental cases	3
Misuse of number plates	1
Missing persons located	2
Speeding	4
Street lights out	14
Statutory offenses	2

I wish to extend my sincere thanks to Sergeant Conti and Trooper McBain for the generous cooperation they have rendered the Police Department.

OLIVER G. WILLIAMSON,
Chief of Police.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF LULL MEMORIAL FUND

January 1, 1945

Real estate as per assessors' valuation:

Lull Homestead	\$3,400 00
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Receipts

Balance in Souhegan National Bank	\$222 43
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Rent of Homestead:

Soraghan	\$220 00
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Brookings	44 00
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-----	264 00
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-----	\$486 43
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Disbursements

Taxes	\$ 91 34
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Milford Water Works	26 90
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Public Service Co.	20 25
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John R. Martin	14 87
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Dennis J. Comolli	1 20
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B. A. Hutchinson	33 65
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Bank service	2 00
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Cash on deposit, Souhegan National Bank	296 22
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-----	\$486 43
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S. A. LOVEJOY,
Trustee.

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

REPORT OF TREASURER

RECEIPTS

1944 balance forward	\$ 57 75
May 29 and Dec. 15, Town of Milford	800 00

	\$857 75

DISBURSEMENTS

D. F. Mahoney, care of Oval	\$105 00
Tullio Bianchi, care of Oval	25 00
Supplies:	
County Stores, Inc.	25 63
W. H. Chase, lumber	73 18
Labor:	
Andrew Elliott, mowing	10 00
E. Miles, mowing	26 00
J. A. Young, grading and care of trees	18 80
Milford Machine Works & Garage,	
repairs playgrounds	35 50
Clarence Hagar, sharpening	3 50
Miscellaneous:	
F. A. Bartlett, spraying, feeding, etc.	
trees on Oval	316 38
Milford Water Works, water Oval	
and Endicott Park	14 00

	\$652 99
Balance on hand Jan. 26, 1945	204 76

	\$857 75

Bills still outstanding for the care and maintenance

of the two skating rinks will be paid from the above balance, when received.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY J. ROSSI,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF LIVERMORE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

To town appropriation \$200 00

This amount has been used as part payment of the fuel bill, balance paid from receipts of the House. The committee appreciates the appropriation and we hope the community appreciates what the association is doing for them.

GERTRUDE N. HOWISON,
Chairman.

REPORT OF THE CEMETERY TRUSTEES

We regret to report that, due to the manpower shortage, we have been unable to accomplish as much toward the improvement of our cemeteries as we had hoped during 1944.

Again we are pleased to report a very generous gift from Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Howison. They have had the main avenue in West Street Cemetery re-graded and topped with permanent black-top asphalt. Tying in with the new gates it is a wonderful improvement to that cemetery and we have received much favorable comment about it. The trustees deeply appreciate the generosity and interest Mr. and Mrs. Howison have shown in the improvement of our cemeteries.

We have been unable to accomplish any major improvements in Riverside Cemetery during the past year. We finished grading and seeding the edges of the new asphalt avenues, but were unable to accomplish further construction, as we had hoped. We are carrying on with the improvement of the large strip of land in the front of the cemetery and hope within a year to have that piece seeded down.

There is still much to be accomplished in our cemeteries, but until help is more plentiful we feel that it is wise not to make too extensive plans. We will endeavor to keep the cemeteries in good condition and work toward all improvements that it is possible to obtain.

HENRY A. ROMANI,
RODNEY C. WOODMAN,
LEON C. TUCKER.

CEMETERIES

Dr.

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1944	\$777 86
Town appropriations	900 00
Income from Trust Funds	770 95

Sale of lots:

William F. Plummer	\$150 00	
Fred Bills	25 00	
D. B. Settimo	25 00	
Claude Hammond	50 00	
Jean Griffiths	50 00	
Marion C. Walker	50 00	
Charles Pillsbury	25 00	
Anthony Prestipino	25 00	
Edith Deacon	10 00	
Henry Manning	50 00	
Harry Stitham	25 00	
Hazel Joslin	15 00	
Melio Riccitelli	25 00	
Rocco Riccitelli	25 00	
Sarah Ward	5 00	
Joseph DePaoli	10 00	
Edward Salo	25 00	
Emory D. Heald	150 00	
	-----	740 00

Income for Perpetual Care:

Frances Carter	\$ 75 00	
Morris Webster	150 00	
	-----	225 00

Annual Care of Lots:

269 50

Opening Graves:

Leon C. Tucker	\$348 00
John T. Smith	186 00
Albert Davis	15 00
Fred Nelson	10 00

R. J. Sullivan	10 00
Annie Jellison	10 00

579 00

Foundations:

Ernest Medlyn	\$62 26
John T. Smith	15 00
Rossi Bros.	8 75
Henry Romani	7 71
T. Carrigg & Son	6 75
W. C. Canniff & Son	33 00

133 47

Grading:

Joseph Tabusso	\$15 00
Jean Griffiths	15 00
Joseph Calvetti	20 00
Gaento D'Amato	20 00
George Smith	20 00
Anthony Muro	10 90
Alex Falconer	10 00
Fred Bills	20 00
Charles Flanders	2 50
Edith Deacon	15 00
Harry Stitham	25 00
Francis Cole	4 50

177 90

Total Income

\$4573 68

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Labor:

Antimo Carpentieri	\$475 00
Alex Provencal	4 00
Archie Carpentieri, Jr.	24 50
Fred Buffelli	8 00
Bernie Carpentieri	41 20
Joseph Pezzullo	176 70

James L. Smith	10 00	
Roger Grugnale	38 00	
Stillman Curtis	388 75	
Lester Adams	15 00	
Albert Smith	363 50	
John Kolehmainen	874 25	
Salvatore Romeo	103 50	
Eugene Manning	262 75	
John Cahill	18 00	
Robert Von Iderstine	72 50	
Lloyd Wood	8 00	
James Cahill	22 00	
Alfred Galletly	5 50	
	-----	\$2911 15

Supplies and Miscellaneous:

Ernest Gagnon, sharpening tools	5 00
Fred Sawyer, Trustee of Trust Funds	175 00
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange	69 22
Cabinet Press, printing	40 95
Elm St. Garage, repairing lawn mower	9 70
Leon L. Junkins Est., 1943 salary	75 00
County Stores, supplies	12 48
Arthur LeBlond, painting gate	10 00
Leon C. Tucker, reimbursement for bills paid	11 75
John J. Kirby, stamps	9 00
Hayward Farms, loam	82 50
Ace Trucking Co., trucking loam	32 00
Milford Mach. Works, repairing lawn mower	2 00
Leach's Garage, repairing lawn mower	75
John Kolehmainen, supplies	14 05
Stillman Curtis, supplies	8 69
Fred's Socony, gas and oil	1 33
Merrill's Garage, gas and oil	1 03
Charles O'Brien, plowing and harrowing	37 00
Rodney Woodman, flowers	2 95

Warren Chase, lumber	5 00
Clarence Hagar, sharpening lawn mower	41 11
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	\$3557 66
Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1944 *	1016 02
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	\$4573 68

* Divided:

Savings Department	\$270 74
Checking Account	745 28

\$1016 02

CEMETERY TRUSTEES,
Georgianna Calderara, Clerk.

REPORT OF PLANNING BOARD

Under present conditions it has not seemed advisable to attempt even a small scale town program the past year, so the funds in this department remain the same.

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1945	\$49 76
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Respectfully submitted,

MINNIE W. FALCONER,
Secretary and Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE WATER COMMISSIONERS

To the Citizens of the Town of Milford, N. H.:

The Board of Water Commissioners herewith submit their report for the year ending December 31st, 1944, together with financial report of the Treasurer.

During the year, the Board held twelve regular and one special meeting.

We had two petitions for extension of the mains; one on North Street and one at the end of Elm Street. The North Street extension could not be allowed, as the revenue was not sufficient, as required by our rules and regulations. The Elm Street extension was allowed, when Mr. Charles Hayward offered to assume part of the expense, and in so doing we could allow the extension.

The only other major expense was for material to repair the cement cover on the filtered water well. The total cost was to be some over \$900.00; the material costing over \$700.00 and the balance for labor. Cold freezing weather began before work was started, therefore, it must wait until spring when the work can be completed. The work included repairs on the cover of filtered water well, waterproofing the said cover, also waterproofing the cover on the filters and the outside of the coke well.

This coming year we are faced with the major job of painting the interior and exterior of the Standpipes. The cost will be somewhere between two and three thousand dollars, and this has got to be done this year.

With our funds, we were able to reduce our bonded debt \$2000.00 and to pay all interest charges.

When conditions return to normal in the country and we can purchase material, we have many projects that will have to be done that will call for funds in excess of our income, as of now. Our Superintendent's report mentions some of the planned projects.

Collections have been somewhat better during the past year and our list of accounts receivable is the lowest it has been for many years.

During the drought last summer, we had plenty of water to furnish the needs of all consumers; none being asked to curtail.

Respectfully submitted,

KITT K. STIMSON,

RALPH J. GAINEY,

OWEN P. FISK,

Commissioners.

REPORT OF WATER SUPERINTENDENT

To the Board of Water Commissioners: I hereby submit a report of the Water Department for the year ending December 31, 1944.

The activities of the Department have been confined to the general maintenance which has been kept to the minimum. We made one short extension on Elm Street, to accommodate one service.

The No. 1 standpipe is still in bad shape, and it should be scraped and painted; if it goes much longer it will be a major problem. Also our new standpipe should be painted on the inside and out. The erection of a fence to prevent vandalism still is another major problem.

With the increased consumption of water, we are faced with the problem of keeping the standpipes full, which cannot be done in an eight hour day. The overtime pumping has fallen to me for the past two years, and I regret it has been necessary for me to give up my position as Superintendent of Sewers, as I cannot give them the attention they need, in addition to putting in two or three hours at night at the pumping station.

Respectfully submitted,

R. F. CAMPBELL,

Superintendent.

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS

December 31, 1943 and December 31, 1944

	Dec. 1944	Dec. 1943	Increase or Decrease
Plant Assets:			
Land	\$ 2,335.48	\$ 2,335.48	\$
Structures—Pumping Sta.	7,115.52	7,115.52	
Water Supply Equipment	38,989.95	38,989.95	
Pumping Sta. Equipment	16,990.37	16,990.37	
Non-operating Equipment	5,863.93	5,863.93	
Purification Equipment	26,014.87	26,014.87	
Mains	122,956.12	122,710.79	245.33
Services	4,788.81	4,788.81	
Hydrants	7,764.97	7,591.15	173.82
Meters	16,198.65	16,082.66	115.99
Other Distribution Equip.	1,732.30	1,732.30	
Other Distribution Tools	89.57	58.57	31.00
Department Tools	2,677.80	2,677.80	
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	\$253,518.34	\$252,952.20	\$ 566.14
Current and Inventory Assets			
Cash	\$ 1,722.53	\$ 1,649.18	\$ 73.35
Material and Supplies	1,856.67	1,945.72	89.05*
Accounts Receivable	1,900.47	2,448.73	548.26*
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	\$ 5,479.67	\$ 6,043.63	\$ 563.96*
	\$258,998.01	\$258,995.83	\$ 2.18
LIABILITIES			
Capital Liabilities			
Municipal Investment	\$125,725.68	\$125,725.68	\$
Current Liabilities			
Notes Payable	17,500.00	19,500.00	2000.00*
Reserves			
Reserve for Depreciation	116,520.10	112,711.66	3808.44
Profit and Loss			
* Profit and Loss	747.77*	1,058.49	1806.26*
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	\$258,998.01	\$258,995.83	\$ 2.18

* Decrease

STATEMENT OF OPERATION

For Twelve Months Ending December 31, 1944

Income

Resident Sales	\$11,066.35	
Industrial Sales	1,741.10	
Hydrant Rental	40.00	
Other Municipal Sales	401.30	
Miscellaneous Water Revenue	1.34	
Job Work	25.20	
TOTAL INCOME		\$13,275.29

Water Supply Expense

Source of Supply, Supt.'s Wages	\$1170.00	
Source of Supply, Repairs	1.67	
Pumping Station, Wages	1060.85	
Pumping Station, Repairs to Equipment	357.90	
Pumping Station, Expense	378.88	
Purification, Wages	507.15	
Purification, Repairs to Equipment	707.63	
Fuel for Power, Diesel	632.93	
Fuel for Power, Electricity	727.40	
Purification Expense	90.00	
Miscellaneous Labor	22.10	
		\$5656.51

Distribution Expense

Superintendent Wages	\$1170.00	
Distribution, Meter Expense	13.36	
Repairs to Services	806.10	
Repairs to Hydrants	198.90	
Repairs to Meters	591.43	
Repairs to Mains	129.88	
		2909.67

Commercial Expense

Office Salaries	\$1231.00	
Meter Reading Salaries	313.50	
		1544.50

General Office Expense

Office Supplies	\$ 7.50	
Telephone and Telegraph	32.74	
Postage	107.18	
		147.42

General Expense

Commissioners' Salaries	\$125.00	
Miscellaneous Expense	141.24	
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Miscellaneous Undistributed

Printing	\$ 42.08	
Garage Expense	187.68	
Shop Expense	12.55	
	<hr/>	242.31

Interest Paid

506.46

Total Expenditures Before Depreciation

 \$11,273.11

Income Before Depreciation

 \$ 2,002.18

Depreciation

 3,808.44

Net Loss for Period

 \$ 1,806.26

STATISTICS

January	7,016,000	gallons
February	6,340,000	"
March	6,846,000	"
April	5,983,800	"
May	7,321,000	"
June	8,166,000	"
July	8,827,000	"
August	9,476,000	"
September	778,300	"
October	7,700,000	"
November	7,472,000	"
December	7,980,000	"
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	83,906,100	"

Average No. of gals. pumped per day 229,525 gals.

Largest No. gals pumped per day,
July 25 363,000 gals.

Least No. gals. pumped per day,
February 19 65,000 gals.

No. consumers on pipe line 3,174

Average consumption per consumer	72 minus
No. of services in 1943	879
No. of services discontinued	1
No. of services added	1
Total No. of services in 1944	879
No. of hydrants in 1943	115
No. of hydrants added	0
No. of hydrants in 1944	115
Fuel oil on hand—Jan. 1, 1944	300 gals.
Fuel oil purchased	10,295 gals.
Fuel oil used for pumping	6,814 gals.
Fuel oil used for heating	2,282 gals.
Fuel oil on hand—Jan. 1, 1945	4,689 gals.
Lubricating oil used	217.5 gals.
Lubricating oil on hand	25 gals.
Cost of pumping 1,000,000 gallons:	
By Diesel—fuel oil, only	\$6.95
Cost of pumping 1,000,000 gallons:	
By Diesel—all charges	\$7.54
(Total head—230 feet)	
Cost of pumping 1,000,000 gallons; by Electricity	\$8.60
(Total head—15 feet)	
Cost of raising 1,000,000 gallons—one foot:	
By Diesel power	\$.021
By Electric power	\$.052

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SEWERS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith present my report as Superintendent of Sewers for the year 1944.

The activities of this department have been confined largely to general maintenance, mostly on the so called Riverbank, where the main sewer crosses at the Ford Garage and continues down below the Electric Power Plant.

We laid a new sewer on West Street from Spaulding, about 800 feet; this accommodates two houses. Owing to increased prices and the shortage of labor, we overran our appropriation.

The Cottage Street sewer gives more trouble than all the other sewers in town and should be relaid through Cherry to Union Street, with a larger pipe.

Respectfully submitted,

R. F. CAMPBELL,

Superintendent.

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Milford, N. H., on December 31, 1944

Date of Creation	Trust Funds—Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
1890	Ezra M. Gay General Fund, Income for Library	Amoskeag Savings Bank \$3,000.00, Souhegan National Bank \$1,032.97, Peterborough Sav. Bank \$2,000.00	6,032 97	2 1/4 % 1 1/2 % 2 1/2 %	0 00	\$ 133 04	\$ 133 04	0 00
1892	Nancy Averill Fund, Income for Library	\$100 Amoskeag Sav. Bank	100 00	2 1/2 %	0 00	2 25	2 25	0 00
Jan. 1907	Dorcas Peabody, Children's Room in Library	Souhegan National Bank	1,240 70	1 1/2 %	\$319 40	23 48	0 00	342 88
Jan. 1907	Mary Ann Peabody, Children's Room in Library	Souhegan National Bank	1,240 70	1 1/2 %	319 40	23 48	0 00	342 88
1913	Alice C. Gray Fund, Income for Library	Amoskeag Savings Bank	500 00	2 1/2 %	0 00	11 25	11 25	0 00
Jan. 1913	Marinda A. Smith Fund, Income for Library	\$1,000 Hillsboro County Bond	1,150 00	4 1/4 % 2 1/2 %	0 00	45 88	45 88	0 00
Feb. 1913	Esther M. Thompson Fund, Income for Library	\$150 Amoskeag Savings Bank	550 00	2 1/2 %	0 00	12 38	12 38	0 00
Jan. 1922	Andrew J. and Ella J. Dutton Fund for Library	Amoskeag Savings Bank	150 00	2 1/2 %	0 00	3 38	3 38	0 00
Jan. 1931	Josephine Dayfoot Fund for Library	Amoskeag Savings Bank Loan and Trust Savings Bank, Concord, N. H., \$2,000.00; Souhegan National Bank \$335.47	2,335 47 500 00	2 % 1 1/2 % 2 1/2 % 2 1/2 % 1 1/2 % 2 % 2 1/2 % 2 1/2 % 1 1/2 %	0 00 0 00	45 04 11 25	45 04 11 25	0 00 0 00
1934	Hannah E. Webster Fund—Library	Amoskeag Savings Bank	5,000 00	2 1/2 %	109 79	107 67	109 79	107 67
Jan. 1937	Frank B. Kaley Fund for Prize Speaking	\$1000 Souhegan National Bank; \$1000 New Hampshire Sav. Bank (Concord); \$1000 Amoskeag Sav. Bank; \$1000 Manchester Sav. Bank; U. S. Treas. Bonds 1963-68 \$1000	2,000 00	2 1/2 % 2 1/2 % 2 1/2 % 2 1/2 % 1 1/2 %	187 81	48 08	0 00	235 89
Dec. 1938	Alice M. Wilkins Fund for care of Riverside Cemetery	Souhegan Nat. Sav. Dept. \$11,155.25	5,000 00	2 1/2 %	4760 74	513 86	0 00	5274 60
	O. W. Lull Fund (Patriotic) New Library	Souhegan Nat'l. Sav. Dept. \$2271.76 2 shares Old Colony R. R. \$150.00 2 shares N. Y. N. H. & H. Ry. \$10 U. S. Treas. Bonds \$5000.00 U. S. Treas. Bonds \$10,500.00 Souhegan Nat'l. Sav. Dept. \$2025.83 U. S. Treas. Bonds \$49,000.00 Souhegan Nat'l. Sav. Dept. \$1477.85 Jan. 31, '44, prin. of funds \$47477.85 New funds and additions 1944	18,587 01 12,525 83 50,477 85	2 1/2 % 2 1/2 % 1 1/2 % 2 1/2 % 1 1/2 %	0 00	258 54	258 54	0 00
1942	Minnie G. Epps, for Books for Library	Cemetery Trust Funds—Perpetual Care	3,000 00	2 1/2 %	3408 49	1248 23	820 13	3836 59
		Dec. 31, '44, prin. of funds \$50477.85	9105 63		\$2487 81	\$1452 93	\$10140 51	

F. W. SAWYER, B. F. PRESCOTT, Trustees.

* Invested : U. S. Treas. Bonds \$3000.00 ; Souhegan National Savings Dept. \$836.59.

MILFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT

SCHOOL BOARD

	Term Expires
Guy W. Fitch, Chairman	1945
Raymond A. Dyer, Secretary	1946
Annie M. Deans	1947
Harold C. Bowley	Superintendent of Schools
Edwin Betz	Headmaster of High School
Maurice G. Jewett	Treasurer
David Deans, Jr.	Moderator
A. Wallace Wilkins	Clerk
Oscar Burns, M. D.	School Physician
Esther E. McCormick, R. N.	School Nurse

SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1944-1945

Begin	Close
September 6, 1944	December 21, 1944
January 2, 1945	February 16, 1945
February 26, 1945	April 20, 1945
April 30, 1945	End of Year
Holidays: November 23, 24; May 30	

PROPOSED SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1945-1946

September 5, 1945	December 21, 1945
January 2, 1946	February 15, 1946
February 25, 1946	April 19, 1946
April	End of Year
Holidays: November 22, 23; May 30	

Warrant for Annual School Meeting

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Milford, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 13th day of March 1945, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.
9. To see how much money the district will raise and appropriate for insurance on school property.

10. To see how much money the district will raise and appropriate for special repairs and alterations of school buildings and grounds, for new equipment, new construction, and for furnishings and replacements.

11. To see if the district will authorize the school board to sell the Pine Valley School property, and pass any vote relating thereto.

12. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Milford this 12th day of February, 1945.

GUY W. FITCH,
ANNIE M. DEANS,
RAYMOND A. DYER,
School Board.

BUDGET

July 1, 1945 to June 30, 1946

	Voted March 1944 for 1944-1945	Proposed Mar. 1945 for 1945-1946
A. For Support of Schools:		
Teachers' salaries	\$44,385 00	\$46,818 00
Textbooks	1200 00	1300 00
Scholars' supplies	1800 00	1900 00
Flags and appurtenances	40 00	40 00
Other expenses of instruction	900 00	1000 00
Janitors' service	3020 00	3250 00
Fuel	1950 00	1950 00
Water, light and janitors supplies	1200 00	1400 00
Minor repairs and expenses	800 00	1000 00
Health supervision	1070 00	1070 00
Transportation of pupils	2725 00	3100 00
Other special activities	150 00	150 00
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	\$59,240 00	\$62,978 00
B. For Payment of Statutory and Other Obligations:		
Salaries of school board	\$ 280 00	\$ 280 00
Salary of treasurer	45 00	45 00
Salary of moderator	5 00	5 00
Salary of auditors	5 00	5 00
Salary of clerk	5 00	5 00
Salary of truant officer	40 00	40 00
Salary of census enumerator	40 00	40 00
Supt.'s excess salary	1064 00	1064 00
\$2 per capita tax	1216 00	1218 00
Payment of principal of debt	7000 00	7000 00
Payment of interest on debt	625 00	231 25
Expenses of administration	800 00	900 00
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	\$11,125 00	\$10,833 25

Estimated Income of District:

State Aid

(Shop and Home Econ.)	\$ 1800 00	\$ 1800 00
Dog tax	700 00	700 00
High school tuitions	4575 00	4725 00
Elementary school tuitions	425 00	300 00
Rent and sales	100 00	100 00
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	\$ 7,600 00	\$ 7,625 00

C. Special Appropriations Proposed:

New Equipment

(Shop and Home Econ.)	\$ 400 00	\$ 300 00
Painting	400 00	200 00
Insurance	510 09	613 09
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	\$ 1,310 09	\$ 1,113 09

Summary of Recommendations

	1944-1945	1945-1946
A. Amount recommended for support of schools	\$59,240 00	\$62,978 00
B. For payment of statutory and other obligations	11,125 00	10,833 25
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Total A. and B.	\$70,365 00	\$73,811 25
Less estimated income	7,600 00	7,625 00
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	\$62,765 00	\$66,186 25
C. Special appropriations	1,310 09	1,113 09
Total assessment required	<hr/>	<hr/>
for School Board's Budget	\$64,075 09	\$67,299 34

GUY W. FITCH,
ANNIE M. DEANS,
RAYMOND A. DYER,

February 12, 1945.

School Board.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

(For Fiscal Year July 1, 1943 to June 30, 1944)

Total Receipts	\$70,151 44
Total Payments	69,895 32

Cash balance June 30, 1944	256 12

RECEIPTS IN DETAIL

From State:

State aid for Vocational Education	\$1,865 12
Appropriation voted March, 1943	60,674 25

From Sources Other Than Taxation:

Dog Licenses	\$635 98
Elementary School tuitions	555 23
High School tuitions	5048 85
Rent of Auditorium-Gym	95 25
Sale of Supplies	32 27
Other Receipts	140 65

	\$6508 23

Total Receipts from All Sources	\$69,047 60
Cash on hand July 1, 1943	1,103 84

GRAND TOTAL	\$70,151 44
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PAYMENTS JULY 1, 1943 TO JUNE 30, 1944

Administration:

1. Salaries of district officers	\$340 00	
2. Supt's excess salary	1064 00	
3. Truant officer & school census	81 05	
4. Expenses of administration	1057 38	
	-----	\$2542 43

Instruction:

5. Teachers' salaries	\$40,960 05	
6. Textbooks	1276 02	
7. Scholars' supplies	1916 62	
8. Flags and appurtenances	22 14	
9. Other expenses of instruction	875 25	
	-----	\$45,050 08

Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:

10. Janitor service	\$2839 97	
11. Fuel	2118 53	
12. Water, light, janitors' supplies	1437 34	
13. Minor repairs and expenses	1261 37	
	-----	\$7657 21

Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:

14. Medical inspection and health supervision	\$1065 15	
15. Transportation of pupils	2687 60	
16. High school tuition	00 00	
17. Elementary school tuition	00 00	
18. Other special activities	42 49	
	-----	\$3795 24

Fixed Charges:

19. Tax for state-wide supervision	\$1272 00	
20. Insurance and other fixed charges	539 85	
	-----	\$1811 85

Outlay for Construction and Equipment:

21. Lands and new buildings	\$ 00 00	
22. Alterations of old buildings	225 98	
23. New Equipment	1056 28	
	-----	\$1282 26

Debt, Interest, and Other Charges:

24. Payments of principal of debt	\$7000 00	
25. Payments of interest on debt	756 25	
	-----	\$7756 25

Total Amount of Payments	\$69,895 32
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Distributed as follows:

General expenses including debt, interest, and outlay charges	\$13,392 79
Support of high school	21,383 69
Support of elementary schools	35,118 84

	\$69,895 32

PAYMENTS IN DETAIL
July 1, 1943 to June 30, 1944

(Note: Expenditures for Grades VII and VIII, housed in the High School Building, are for the purpose of administration considered as Elementary costs.)

1. Salaries of District Officers:

Emma B. Daniels, school board	\$93 34	
Raymond A. Dyer, school board	93 33	
Guy W. Fitch, school board	93 33	
David Deans, Jr., moderator	5 00	
A. Wallace Wilkins, clerk	5 00	
Maurice G. Jewett, treasurer	45 00	
Fred S. Kimball, auditor	2 50	
Hugo E. Trentini, auditor	2 50	
	-----	\$340 00

2. Superintendent's Salary Account:

Raymond A. Dyer, Treas., Union No. 40,	
account of Harold C. Bowley	\$1064 00

3. Truant Officer and School Census:

Robert Chartier, census enumerator	\$40 00	
Arthur Tostevin, truant officer		
and mileage	41 05	
	-----	\$81 05

4. Expenses of Administration:

Edward E. Babb & Co., supplies	\$ 8 53
Harold C. Bowley, exp. at Conf.	34 78
Cabinet Press, stationery, app.,	
reg. notice	32 20
Cambosco Scientific Co., desk lamp	6 00
Raymond A. Dyer, Union account	675 00
Edson C. Eastman Co., record	
sheets, warrants	7 22
Estate of J. P. Melzer, enum. cards	2 75
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	4 15

Maurice G. Jewett, Treas.'s bond	15 00	
Carl Larson, supplies	44 54	
R. H. Llewellyn & Co., transfer		
cases, chair	31 50	
L. C. Smith & Corona Typewriter		
Co., cover	50	
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., service	143 52	
People's Laundry, chair		
cushion re-up.	5 50	
Pioneer Office App. Co., supplies	25 16	
Remington Rand Inc., supplies	8 03	
The Riegle Press, school calendar	1 12	
School Service Co., credit sheets	2 22	
Fred W. Snell, postage	4 66	
Fred L. Tower Co., N. H. Register	5 00	
	-----	\$1057 38

5. Teachers' Salaries:

(* Blue Cross Members)

	Tax	
Braley, Florence	\$ 77 17	\$1338 33
*Butler, Emma E.	41 55	1203 95
Burt, Elgin	100 00	1700 00
Campbell, Dorris	145 20	1100 80
*Clarkin, Kathryn	42 00	1205 75
Coburn, Roscoe	10 00	840 00
*Davis, Lucile	151 00	1121 75
*Draper, Helen C.	42 00	1205 75
*Edwards, Ethelyn	34 75	650 50
French, Ruth D.	186 00	1264 00
*Frost, Marjorie	33 75	1374 00
*Gogan, Katherine	146 00	1101 75
*Hagar, Alberta T.	144 20	1094 55
Hall, Sannie	119 10	998 40
DeVittori, Barbara	18 40	229 60
Herlihy, Alice F.	186 00	1264 00
*Kieley, Eleanor	138 15	1044 35

*Langley, Florence	196 00	1301 75
*McGettigan, Mary C.	42 00	1205 75
*Miller, Beatrice	136 00	1061 75
*Nutting, Nina	114 20	974 55
Offutt, Dorothea	126 58	1078 82
*Pettee, Mary A.	176 00	1221 75
Pomeroy, Ray E.	38 40	1761 60
Sargent, Dorothy	29 92	805 08
Neal, Ruth S.	18 40	229 60
Snell, Fred W.	108 60	1058 40
Betz, Edwin	173 60	1474 40
Talbot, Carl W.	172 00	1728 00
Tonella, Hazel	26 40	1373 60
*Wheeler, Elsie F.	16 00	581 75
*White, Flora A.	76 05	1334 20
*Young, Muriel B.	42 00	1205 75
Raymond A. Dyer, Blue		
Cross deductions		42 75
Collector of Internal Revenue		3201 31

Substitutes:

Addison, Florence P.	51 20	204 80
Batterson, Sibyl	10	4 90
Betz, Eleanor	2 00	8 00
Bletzer, Russell	2 24	32 76
Cain, Dorothy	2 31	15 19
Day, John	2 60	22 40
Foote, Mildred	21 03	89 22
Grady, Theresa	99	6 51
Haskell, Grant	2 16	42 84
McCormack, Marjorie	2 00	8 00
Neugebauer, Evelyn K.	66	12 84
Moser, Margaret	5 28	34 72
Odell, Marjorie	3 36	23 64
Pellegrin, Mary	9 00	36 00
Piper, Laurence F.		20 00
Steele, Lizzie	90	3 60

Stickney, Priscilla	66	4 34
Trentini, Bertina	3 00	12 00

\$3216 91 \$40,960 05

(Adjustment of tax made in Sept. 1944)

6. Textbooks:

American Book Co.	\$182 18
Allyn & Bacon	162 00
Arlo Publishing Co.	20 53
Beckley-Cardy Co.	24 35
Benton Review Shop	37 28
Bruce Publishing Co.	15 79
D. Appleton Century Co.	4 50
Doubleday Doran & Co.	1 33
Dura Binding Co.	27 30
Emerson & Son	30
Ginn & Co.	51 98
Gregg Publishing Co.	3 76
The Grolier Society	51 48
Harcourt Brace & Co.	12 11
Harper & Bros.	2 77
D. C. Heath & Co.	9 29
Houghton Mifflin Co.	21 85
Inor Publishing Co.	4 32
Laidlaw Bros.	13 96
Little, Brown & Co.	1 08
J. B. Lippincott Co.	3 16
Macmillan Co.	155 75
McCormick-Mathers	24 24
McGraw-Hill Book Co.	21 07
Milford Chapter American Red Cross	2 40
Noble & Noble Pub.	48 99
Row, Peterson & Co.	77
Scott, Foresman & Co.	114 76
Silver Burdett Co.	89 13

L. W. Singer Co.	5 45	
South-Western Pub. Co.	24 42	
The Sugar Ball Press	78 28	
O. H. Toothaker	3 67	
Webster Publishing Co.	38 42	
John C. Winston Co.	6 12	
World Book Co.	11 23	
	-----	\$1276 02
High \$629.22; Elem. \$646.80		

7. Scholars' Supplies:

American Book Co.	\$ 61 08
American Education Press	76 00
American Medical Assoc.	2 50
Allyn & Bacon	5 00
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	386 58
The Bruce Pub. Co.	3 75
Cambosco Scientific Co.	2 15
Cascade Paper Co.	56 53
Warren H. Chase	10 80
Coburn Motor Service	2 15
Community Gas Co.	28 00
County Stores, Inc.	126 84
William M. Falconer	301 99
Ginn & Co.	73 31
Gledhill Bros., Inc.	90 97
The Grade Teacher	3 00
J. L. Hammett Co.	201 76
D. C. Heath & Co.	6 80
W. S. Holt & Son	3 50
F. S. Hough	1 55
Houghton Mifflin Co.	95
Jones Express	77
Langdell Lumber Co.	4 31
Carl Larson	4 60
Linde Air Products Co.	2 48

The Macmillan Co.	21	66
Motor	2	00
National Safety Council	2	00
News Map of the Week	16	33
Parent's Institute Inc.	2	00
People's Laundry & Cleansers		77
The People's Market	20	48
Public Service Co. of N. H.	92	36
The Reader's Digest	14	25
Remington Rand Inc.	5	08
Scholastic Magazine	13	00
Science Research Assoc.	19	50
Scott, Foresman & Co.	12	89
L. C. Smith & Corona Type. Co.	10	00
South-Western Pub. Co.	35	72
Southwestern N. H. Trans. Co.		78
Supt. of Documents	3	30
Carl W. Talbot		68
Teachers College—Columbia	30	95
Time	3	75
The United States News	4	00
W. M. Welch Mfg. Co.	146	29
World Book Co.	1	46
	-----	\$1916 62

High \$1113.18; Elem. \$803.44

8. Flags and Appurtenances:

County Stores, Inc.	\$22 14
High \$15.00; Elem. \$7.14	

9. Other Expenses of Instruction:

American Book Co., ref. book	\$ 1 00
Emil Ascher, Inc., music	1 04
The Blakiston Co., Home Nursing texts	11 03
Bosworth News, almanacs and newspaper sub.	21 40
Educational Music Bureau, flash cards	1 99

Bureau of Pub., Columbia,		
record sheets	2	70
The Cabinet Press report cards, pro-		
grams	36	79
Expression Co., ref. books	4	12
Frontier Press Co., library books	10	58
The Gerrard Press, cards, ref. books	8	21
Grand Rapids Herald Review, series	2	50
Ginn & Co., ref. book		84
J. L. Hammett Co., diplomas		
and covers	55	03
Catherine E. Hammond, lip reading	135	50
Blue Cross		\$4.50
Hospital Cottages for Children—		
R. Brown	171	41
Florence Langley, conferences	15	00
Lansing Co., piano cover	14	18
Little, Brown & Co., ref. book	1	23
Macmillan Co., ref. books	18	70
Martin & Murray Co., ref. books	38	45
McGraw Hill Book Co., ref. books	3	47
Noble & Noble Pub., ref. books	6	98
People's Laundry & Cleansers,		
collars, towels	2	61
A. H. Rice Co., oil, lamp	4	76
Silver Burdett Co., ref. book	2	50
L. C. Smith & Corona Type. Co.,		
repairs	266	00
Fred W. Snell, Conference	5	22
Carl W. Talbot, Conference	6	25
O. H. Toothaker, ref. books	17	30
U. S. Infantry Ass'n. lib. books	1	50
Webster Pub. Co., ref. book	1	86
World Book Co., record blanks	5	10
	-----	\$875 25

High \$447.15; Elem. \$428.10

10. Janitor Service:

Collector of Internal Revenue	\$ 54 60	
Calvin B. Goldsmith (through Nov. 30) tax \$9.00	553 50	
Calvin B. Goldsmith, special officer	6 00	
Thomas O'Neil, special officer	6 00	
Earle L. Randall (tax \$13.10)	832 73	
Earle L. Randall, special officer	61 50	
Harvey Sturtevant, Laurel janitor	51 00	
Arthur Tostevin (tax \$21.60)	1255 44	
Milford Grain & Coal Co.	19 20	
	-----	\$2839 97
(Adjustment of tax made Sept. 1944)		
High \$1012.57; Elem. \$1827.40		

11. Fuel:

Draper Fuel Co., coal—Laurel	\$ 147 73	
Frank Hartshorn Co., slabs	15 00	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, coal—Elem.	733 31	
Milford Grain & Coal Co., coal— High	1222 49	
	-----	\$2118 53
High \$610.61; Elem. \$1507.92		

12. Water, Light and Janitors' Supplies:

Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	\$ 42 37
M. F. Bragdon Paint Co., supplies	12 39
The County Stores, Inc., supplies	18 73
Daniels Service Station, oil	2 31
C. B. Dolge Co., deodoromas and Dolco	25 66
Du-Ev Products Co., disinfectant	32 63
Raymond A. Dyer, sponges, soap	9 49
Emerson & Son, brushes	43 27
W. S. Holt & Son, cloths	46 99
I. G. A. Store, Bab-o	75

Masury-Young Co., Mycoleum,		
broom refills	17	38
Milford Water Works, service	83	90
Profile Products Co., disinfectant,		
windo-wash	11	00
Public Service Co. of N. H., service	490	06
Southwestern N. H. Trans. Co.	1	59
John B. Varick Co., Dustbane	8	55
Warren Refining & Chemical Co.,		
wax, seal	328	00
West Disinfecting Co., supplies	262	27
	-----	\$1437 34
High \$630.63; Elem. \$806.71		

13. Minor Repairs and Expenses:

Elgin F. Burt & Co., carpentry	\$ 36	19
Warren H. Chase, lumber	12	32
Coburn Motor Service	1	95
Cohen Machinery Co. rewind motor	18	05
Community Gas Co., repacking in		
laboratory	2	25
The County Stores, Inc., supplies	86	74
J. W. Dodge, filing saws	11	70
Economy Supply Co., paint, cord	4	73
Emerson & Son, shades	140	58
Deborah W. Kittredge, couch cover	1	39
People's Laundry & Cleansers	4	02
John R. Martin, repairs	428	14
Milford Machine Works, repairs	39	64
Milford Motor Co., gasket lub.	40	
William L. Nutting, Inc., tuning		
and repairing	13	65
Earle L. Randall, express on motor	3	92
H. L. Sargent, time switch	18	00
Ralph J. Sloan, repairs	260	00
Southwestern N. H. Trans. Co., trans.	1	20
Peter St. Cyr, door closers	35	00

Standard Electric Time Co.,		
repairs to clock	132 50	
George F. Steele, carting		
rubbish and ashes	8 50	
Arthur Tostevin, sharpening clippers	50	
	-----	\$1261 37
High \$504.08; Elem. \$757.29		

14. Medical Inspection and Health Supervision:

Dr. Oscar Burns, med. inspection	\$180 00	
Raymond A. Dyer, med. supplies	15 15	
Milford Chapter, American Red		
Cross, nurse service	870 00	
	-----	\$1065 15
High \$435.30; Elem. \$629.75		

15. Transportation:

Harris D. Daniels	\$1760 00	
Chester Whitten	927 60	
	-----	\$2687 60

18. Other Special Activities:

Boston Music Co., music	\$22 46	
Lorenz Pub. Co., Elem. music	2 52	
Fred W. Snell, postage, whistles	4 32	
Wm. Westlan Co., basketball	13 19	
	-----	\$42 49
High \$38.97; Elem. \$3.52		

19. Tax for State-Wide Supervision:

State Treasurer, \$2 per capita tax	\$1272 00
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20. Insurance and Other Fixed Charges:

Hanlon Insurance Agency	\$ 5 79	
Maurice G. Jewett	279 96	
A. L. Keyes Agency	45 54	
Rotch Insurance Co.	208 56	
	-----	\$539 85

22. Alterations of Old Buildings:

The County Stores, Inc.	\$ 56 76	
Economy Supply Co., paint and supplies	33 37	
Frank J. Hauptmann, Bartlett house	35 35	
Carl W. Talbot, painting	100 50	
	-----	\$225 98

23. New Equipment:

Boston & Maine R. R., drill and lathe	\$ 24 57	
County Stores, Inc., shop order	33 98	
Economy Supply Co., shop order	124 41	
John R. Martin, furnace, sink, etc.	661 98	
Fred E. Powers, paper press	3 50	
Daniel D. Steele, tools	100 00	
George B. Robbins, ash barrels	20 62	
Detroit Surfacing Mach., 1 model XLD	87 22	
	-----	\$1056 28

24. Payments of Principal of Debt:

First National Bank of Boston, debt payment on Elem. bldg.	\$5000 00	
Souhegan National Bank, note on High School gym	2000 00	
	-----	\$7000 00

25. Payments of Interest on Debt:

First National Bank of Boston	\$593 75	
A. L. Keyes Memorial Trust	62 50	
Souhegan National Bank	100 00	
	-----	\$756 25

Total Amount of All Payments		\$69,895 32

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in

this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 82 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire (Commissioner's Report 1941), and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

GUY W. FITCH,
RAYMOND A. DYER,
ANNIE M. DEANS,
School Board.

HAROLD C. BOWLEY, Superintendent.
July 10, 1944.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Milford, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

HUGO E. TRENTINI,
F. S. KIMBALL,
Auditors.

July 13, 1944.

REPORT OF TREASURER

(For the Fiscal Year July 1, 1943 to June 30, 1944)

MAURICE G. JEWETT, Treasurer,

In account with the School District of Milford

Dr.

Balance as per last report	\$1103 84
Board of Selectmen:	
Appropriation of March, 1943	60,674 25
Dog Tax	635 98
From other sources:	
Elementary school tuitions	555 23
High school tuitions	5048 85
Rent of auditorium-gymnasium	95 25
Sale of supplies	32 27
Other receipts	140 65
From State: State aid for vocational education	1865 12
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	\$70,151 44

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Payments on order of School Board	\$69,895 32
Cash on hand June 30, 1944	256 12
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	\$70,151 44

Bonds outstanding on High School	
February 1945	\$6000 00
Bonds outstanding on Elementary	
Building Feb. 1945	5000 00

July 13, 1944

M. G. JEWETT,
District Treasurer.

Audited,
HUGO E. TRENTINI,
F. S. KIMBALL,
Auditors.

July 13, 1944

**ABSTRACT OF REPORT OF CLERK TO STATE
BOARD OF EDUCATION, SCHOOL BOARD,
AND SELECTMEN**

**District Revenue Voted March 14, 1944, For School
Year 1944-1945**

Amounts appropriated for:	
Support of high school	\$22,596 00
Support of elementary schools	36,644 00
Salaries of district officers	340 00
Truant officer and school census	80 00
Superintendent's excess salary	1064 00
\$2 per capita tax for supervision	1216 00
Payment of principal of debt	7000 00
Payment of interest on debt	625 00
Administration	800 00
Specials:	
New Equipment	400 00
Painting and specials	400 00
Insurance	510 09
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Am't. of School Board's Budget & Specials	\$71,675 09
Less estimated income	7600 00
Amount to be raised by taxation for	<hr/>
budget and appropriations	\$64,075 09

A. WALLACE WILKINS,
Clerk of School District.

March 14, 1944

FINANCIAL REPORT—KALEY PRIZE CONTESTS

Prize Speaking Contest—Grade X

500 programs	\$10 00	
Judges	7 50	
Officer	2 00	
Prizes	38 00	
	<hr/>	\$57 50

Extemporaneous Contest—Grade XII

Judges	\$ 5 00	
Prizes	\$20 00	
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Essay Contest—Grade VIII

Judges	\$ 5 00	
Prizes	14 00	
	<hr/>	\$19 00

Total amount expended 1943-44		\$101 50
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Balance on hand July 1943	\$ 83 10	
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Received June 2, 1944	109 79	
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	\$192 89	
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Less Payments	101 50	
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Balance on hand Sept. 1944	\$91 39	
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INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR MILFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT

	Expiration Date	Term	Amount
I. Regular Coverage			
	April 15, 1945	5 yrs.	\$25,340
	April 15, 1945	5 yrs.	5,340
	April 15, 1945	5 yrs.	5,000
	April 15, 1945	5 yrs.	5,000
	April 15, 1945	5 yrs.	5,000
	April 15, 1945	5 yrs.	5,000
	April 15, 1947	5 yrs.	5,000
	April 15, 1947	5 yrs.	10,340
	April 15, 1947	5 yrs.	10,000
	April 15, 1948	5 yrs.	5,000
	April 15, 1948	5 yrs.	8,000
	April 15, 1948	5 yrs.	8,280
	April 15, 1948	5 yrs.	4,060
	April 15, 1949	5 yrs.	5,000
	April 15, 1949	5 yrs.	7,200
	April 15, 1949	5 yrs.	940
	April 15, 1949	5 yrs.	10,000
	July 10, 1949	5 yrs.	2,200
			<hr/> \$126,700

Divided as follows:

High School	\$70,000
Elementary School	50,000
Pine Valley School	4,400
Laurel School	2,300

\$126,700

(Vacancy permit on Pine Valley Building)

II. Extra Coverage

February 1, 1946	3 yrs.	\$25,000
(Boiler and hot water tank insurance—2 buildings)		
April 15, 1949	5 yrs.	\$200
(Pine Valley furniture)		

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Milford, New Hampshire:

I herewith present my sixth annual report, the twenty-sixth in the series. I shall discuss but two topics: Teachers and Recommendations.

Teachers

My great duty has been to seek new teachers and substitutes. This has taken the major portion of my time. There are other duties I would like to, and should, perform. But the difficulties are numerous and the supply of teachers is limited. Let us discuss them with candor. Teachers are reluctant to accept positions for many reasons. The salary must be adequate and somewhat comparable to that of the next town or city. Living conditions should be good. There are not enough people willing to supply both board and room for our teachers. These problems, and others we do not now have in mind, have confronted us more than once.

In view of the circumstances in the above paragraph, I trust there is ample appreciation of the work of the teachers. We should consider it fortunate that more of the services rendered have not been curtailed or abandoned the same as has happened in many other towns.

The present staff of teachers in the Elementary and Laurel Schools is as follows: (Headmaster Betz's report contains the list of high school teachers)

Mary A. Pettee, Principal	Grade 1
Emma E. Butler	1
Eleanor M. Kieley	2
Beatrice L. Miller	2
Muriel B. Young	3
Nina M. Abbott (Mrs.)	3-4

Alberta T. Hagar (Mrs.)	4
Katherine M. Gogan	5
Mary E. Stirk	5
Kathryn M. Clarkin	6
Mary C. McGettigan	Remedial
Jennie Hull	1-3, Laurel
Elsie F. Wheeler	Music

The need for people to train as teachers is very great. War-time birth rates are high. These children will soon be old enough for school. What, with more children and a smaller number of teachers, will be the result? Now is an excellent time for a young lady to train for an important post-war job, which gives security of employment at a more adequate salary than ever before. I urge you, perhaps in your own interests, to have your young people consider a teaching career.

Recommendations

1. I believe that the following table of salaries is adequate to meet the situation. I suggest your study of the following, as indicative of what we would like to offer as inducement to come here or to retain:

Training	1st year	2nd year	3rd year
2 years	\$1200	\$1300	\$1400
3 years	1300	1400	1500
4 years	1400	1500	1600
5 years	1500	1600	1700

A teacher might go from one bracket to another by extra training and experience. Shop teachers would be paid more than the above, as well as those handling athletics. It should be recalled that the average salary of elementary women teachers last year was \$1244.56; of secondary women teachers \$1586.03. These figures will, without doubt, be more this year and still higher next year.

2. A school lunch is under operation at the present moment. Some 130 pupils and teachers eat at the

schools at noon. The supervision and direction of this program should be under the Home Economics department.

3. Let me here beseech a greater degree of cooperation between the school and the home when it comes to athletics. To be sure, this school is the largest in the league. We ought to lead the league occasionally. But the mere fact that we are the largest school doesn't imply that we automatically lead the league. There must be sacrifices which the boys and girls must make to reach that goal. Instead of examining one's self for the cause of non-success, it is very easy to cast criticism in other directions. But, when it comes to personal matters of non-smoking and other training rules, we must look to the individuals and their parents. Breaks in conduct and training rules have hampered the success of the team this year. It must be remembered that this is a school; character and the proper training of youth are still the major functions. Of course, we would like to bolster our morale with a winning team. I recommend a little more parental interest in the whereabouts of youth at night.

4. There are a few repairs that I recommend doing next year. For the past few years we have spent something in keeping the desks in good order and painting some interiors. I think this policy should be continued as it is less expensive to do a little every year rather than to spend a large sum in one year. The roof at the Elementary School needs to be re-tarred this summer. There are certain spots at the Elementary building which need to be re-cemented. This is a major job and may require the expenditure of a large sum. I feel that no great harm will result by leaving this task to the summer of 1946, when financial obligations will be much eased by the release of debt payments on the building. The Elementary Building is free of debt

with the payment of \$5000 asked for in the budget for 1945-46.

I am very appreciative of the cooperation of the School Board and citizens of Milford and the faithful efforts of the teachers.

Very respectfully,
HAROLD C. BOWLEY,
Superintendent of Schools.

February 3, 1945.

CREDITS FOR MEN IN THE SERVICE

(These are approved for students from
Milford High School)

1. Credit may be earned for certain types of experiences in the armed forces and for correspondence courses provided the reports of such experiences and courses are made by the United States Armed Forces Institute in Madison, Wisconsin, with which we have been cooperating from the first.

2. A maximum of two credits may be allowed for basic training in the Army; one unit for basic training in the Navy.

3. One who was a senior when he left high school will not be denied a diploma if he has not had U. S. Constitutional History and a fourth year of English.

4. One who rated lower than a senior when he left high school to enter the armed forces should plan on taking a year's course in U. S. History by correspondence. He should be advised to take additional courses in English by correspondence. If further courses are to be taken by correspondence, they should be selected on the basis of the young man's interests and needs and the value of the course in terms of high school standards.

ENROLLMENT TABLE AS OF JANUARY 31, 1945

Elementary							
(Number in (): years of service in Milford through June 1945)							
Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Emma E. Butler (19)	36						36
Mary A. Pettee (41)	21						21
Eleanor M. Kieley (34)		28					28
Beatrice L. Miller (15)		27					27
Muriel B. Young (24)			32				32
Nina M. Abbott (4)			11	10			21
Alberta T. Hagar (26)				34			34
Katherine M. Gogan (13)					24		24
Mary E. Stirk (1)					25		25
Kathryn M. Clarkin (23)						33	33
Mary C. McGettigan (14)	Remedial						
Total at Elementary	57	55	43	44	49	33	281
Laurel School:							
Jennie Hull (1)	11	2	1				14
Grand Total Elem.	68	57	44	44	49	33	295
Girls	34	32	25	17	26	14	148
Boys	34	25	19	27	23	19	147
Total Elementary Enrollment as of January 31st for the last five years: 388, 415, 316, 281, 293							

GENERAL STATISTICS FOR SCHOOL YEAR 1943-1944

Number of different pupils registered during year:	
Boys 326; Girls 343; Total	669
Enrollment by grades: I-66; II-52; III-42;	
IV-46; V-35; VI-56; VII-49; VIII-64;	
IX-73; X-80; XI-55; XII-51; Total	669
(In addition to this number, 28 pupils were previously enrolled in some other N. H. school, making a total enrollment in Milford 697 for the year.)	
Number non-resident pupils in high school	74
Number non-resident pupils in elem. school	15
Average membership in high school (grades 9-12)	238.59

Per cent of attendance in high school	93.15
Average membership in grades 7 and 8	105.89
Per cent of attendance in grades 7 and 8	93.53
Average membership in grades 1-6	287.21
Per cent of attendance in grades 1-6	91.69
Number not absent nor tardy during year	22
Aggregate number of tardinesses (last year 805)	908
Number of sessions in all schools	352
Number of School Board meetings	17
Teaching positions: High 17; Elem. 13	30
(Part-time teachers included, 3)	
Number of visits made by School Board members	6
Number of visits made by the Superintendent	403
Number of visits made by citizens	476

PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Three Years: Bruce Rafter.

Two Years: Priscilla Conti, Virginia Wasto, Beverly Caswell.

School Year 1943-1944

High School Building: Beverly Caswell, Harvey Sturtevant, Clayton Perkins, Kenneth Taylor, Joan Melano, Helen Corey, Richard Woodman, Mary Cresini, Edith Corey, Virginia Wasto, Carroll Blanchard, James McEntee, Winston Kittredge, George Dutton, Priscilla Conti, Joan Comolli.

Grade VI: Bruce Rafter, Everett Leach.

Grade V: Doris Busch.

Grade III: Aido Richelli.

Grade I: Janet Ethridge.

Laurel: Robert Germino.

REPORT OF HEADMASTER

To Mr. Harold C. Bowley, Superintendent of Schools,
Milford, N. H.:

The following is my second annual report as Headmaster of Milford High School:

Enrollment

The total enrollment through January 31, 1945 for the school year was 361. This is about the same enrollment of last year but a slight decrease over previous years.

The September 1, 1944 age enrollment by sex is distributed as follows:

ENROLLMENT AND AGE-GRADE TABLE

		Milford High School						
Ages		7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
11-12	Boys	6						6
	Girls	5						5
12-13	Boys	14	4					18
	Girls	18	4					22
13-14	Boys	9	13	4				26
	Girls	5	16	7				28
14-15	Boys		4	24	8			36
	Girls	1	2	26	10			39
15-16	Boys	2	3	5	19	3		32
	Girls	1		3	18	10		32
16-17	Boys			2	11	18	2	33
	Girls			1	3	21	3	28
17-18	Boys					4	21	25
	Girls					6	17	23
over 18	Boys				1	2		3
	Girls					2	3	5
Boys		31	24	35	39	27	23	179
Girls		30	22	37	31	39	23	182
Grand Total		61	46	72	70	66	46	361

Teachers and Subjects Taught 1944-1945

(Number in () indicates years of service in Milford through
June, 1945)

Betz, Edwin (1½) Physics, Biology

Bradley, Florence (3) Commerce, Economics
 Burt, Elgin (2½) Woodworking
 Carden, Rosemary (½) History, Geography
 Clark, Bertha M. (5) English
 Dearborn, Ann B. (1) English, Latin, Phys. Education
 DeVittori, Barbara (1½) Jr. Business Training, History
 Edwards, Ethelyn (3) Glee Club, Orchestra
 French, Ruth D. (18) English
 *Frost, Marjorie (2½) History, Geography
 Herlihy, Alice F. (27) History, Mathematics, Sociology
 Langley, Florence (8) Home Economics
 Noble, Edith (1) Mathematics, Civics and Occupations
 Pomeroy, Ray (10½) Mathematics, Physical Education
 Potter, Philip (1) Mechanic Arts
 Talbot, Carl W. (25) Cabinet Making, Electricity
 Tonella, Hazel (2) Science, English
 White, Flora A. (13) French, English
 (* left December, 1944)

Aside from teaching classes listed above, a teacher has many other duties to perform during school and after school hours. To mention a few—these include directing plays, supervising parties, and advising classes and other school clubs. Indeed, a teacher's work is never done.

Tuition Pupils

On January 31, 1945 there were registered for the school year 1944-1945, a total of 82 tuition pupils. They were distributed by grades and towns as follows:

By grades: VII-6; VIII-7; IX-16; X-16; XI-22; XII-15.

By towns: Amherst 9; Brookline 29; Lyndeboro 19; Mont Vernon 21; Merrimack 1; Greenfield 3.

Milford Senior High and Junior High Class Budgets 1944-1945

Junior High: Five parties to be held throughout the school year.

12th Grade: Senior Play; Formal Banquet; Dance after Wilton Game; Dance for the School; School Party; Spaghetti Supper; Benefit Movie.

11th Grade: Box Party; Benefit Movie; Junior Prom; Graduation Dance; Dance after Peterboro Game; Class Party.

10th Grade: Class Party; Prize Speaking; Dance after Conant Game; Class Social; Class Play; Class Entertainment.

9th Grade: Hallowe'en Party; Dance after Marlboro Game; Class Party; Dance.

Armed Forces

This year we have had the misfortune to lose six boys who felt it their patriotic duty to leave school and join the armed forces. While I can appreciate their motives I feel that everything should be done to encourage them to remain in school until after graduation. Although most of the senior boys will enter some branch of the services after being graduated, I feel that until then they can best serve their country by remaining in school.

Vocational Testing

The seniors were very fortunate to have the opportunity to take vocational tests which were given them by a member of the faculty of Boston University. The aims of these tests are two-fold: one, to indicate some field of interest in which the individual is suited and secondly, to determine whether that individual has any special aptitude for that field. There were five tests in the battery given and the time taken for giving them took most of one school day. I feel that much good will result from this type of testing, and that these tests should be given every year.

School Attendance

School attendance on the whole has not been as

good as it might be. Although I realize there is a critical shortage of labor it must not be overlooked that the most important job a boy or a girl has in school is an education. Other countries have learned to their sorrow what happens when a child's attendance at school is neglected. We must not make the same mistake.

I strongly urge that parents watch closely their children's attendance and do everything possible to see that they are in school. With few exceptions the only justifiable excuse for absence is sickness. Parents may easily check on attendance by examining their children's report cards which are sent home to them four times a year, or by consulting with the school authorities.

Another matter of great importance which should be brought to the attention of parents is that of tardiness. Only too often excuses which children bring to school are flimsy indeed. A vital part of a child's education is to learn to be on time.

Student Class and School Organizations

If our way of living is to survive, and there is a grave question that it will even after we win the war, our boys and girls must be educated to take their places in a democratic society. If the schools cannot do this, then there can be little hope that it will be done. Our young people must be trained in the duties and obligations they owe rather than, and this is too often true, what society owes them. I have complete confidence, however, that if properly directed they will do the right thing. At Milford High School we attempt to instil this spirit in a number of ways. We, as teachers, realize that an important part of a child's development lies outside of formal class room activities. This is commonly known as the field of extra-curricular activities.

In the following I will briefly list and describe some of these activities:

Class Organization: By popular elections each class elects its own class officers. It is the duty of the class president to preside at class meetings where class business is discussed and where all issues are decided by popular vote. At all meetings the class advisers help and direct.

Student Council: This is a council of the whole school which meets regularly with the headmaster to discuss issues which concern all classes. As one who attends these meetings, my faith in democracy is fully justified when I observe the good sense and intelligence displayed at these meetings.

Physical Education: Basketball and baseball are the principal sports at Milford High School. While we like to win our games it must not be forgotten that the primary purpose of sports in high school is to develop physical fitness and character. In addition our games should develop what we as Americans are proud of, sportsmanship, not only among the participants but among the spectators as well.

Student Publication: Our school can be justly proud of its school publication, "Student Prints." Our students have an opportunity to express themselves in words, the results of which are often excellent.

School Plays: During the school year 1944-1945 two class plays will be given. The value boys and girls receive from participating in this activity cannot be overestimated. It teaches them poise and develops the ability to speak before audiences, both valuable assets. It is my belief, however, that the standard of plays produced would be greatly improved if the whole school, rather than the individual classes, could sponsor them. During the basketball season it is often difficult

to find enough players who want to take part in class plays.

Other Stage Activities: These include assembly programs and activities like Stunt Night. In these activities teacher direction is at a minimum, and the directing and initiative rests largely with the student. Although participation is voluntary, the results prove what boys and girls can do at organizing and directing their productions. This is excellent training. Last year almost one hundred students participated in "Stunt Night."

Dance Club: A dance club was organized this year under the able direction of a member of the faculty. Not only does the student learn how to dance which is a valuable asset, but he also learns some of the social amenities necessary to a complete education.

Other Activities: In this report will be found the Class Budgets which is a list of the activities of the various classes. Through these activities we attempt to encourage social development which is so necessary to a successful life.

Music Activities: Under the able direction of our music supervisor, several worthwhile musical programs are presented throughout the year, notably among them are the Christmas Concert and the music for graduation week.

Among other worthwhile activities are Tri-Y and Hi-Y, whose purpose is to develop character training.

We teachers at Milford High School realize there is much to be done. We try in our small way to develop boys and girls who will be a credit to their town and to their country. Often we do not succeed, but it is not because there is a lack of desire or effort on our part. We also realize that without the full cooperation of the home our efforts cannot be as effective as we would have them. For all of us is the great responsi-

bility of training young people who will one day be the future citizens of the world, by no means a small task.

In closing I wish to thank you for your splendid help to me while I have been in Milford. To the teachers of Milford High School, I am very grateful for your fine spirit of cooperation. I also wish to thank the parents and friends who have done so much to make my stay in Milford a pleasant one.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN BETZ,
Headmaster.

MILFORD HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1944

Ames, Roger	Wentworth Institute
Austin, Allbon'	U. S. Armed Forces
Batterson, Audrey	N. H. School of Accounting and Finance
Beals, Richard	U. S. Armed Forces
Bellew, Rita	Nurse Cadet Corps
Bisson, Rita	Nurse Cadet Corps
Buffelli, Alfred	U. S. Armed Forces
Burt, Christine	Boston University
Buxton, Harry	U. S. Armed Forces
Call, Arlene	N. H. School of Accounting and Finance
Chartier, Robert	U. S. Armed Forces
Cheever, Richard	U. S. Armed Forces
Comolli, Evora	University of N. H.
Craig, Charles	U. S. Armed Forces
Cummings, Phyllis	Carpet Factory
Curtis, Elinor	Nurse Cadet Corps
Deans, David	U. S. Armed Forces
Deschenes, Dorothy	Nurse Cadet Corps
Farwell, George	U. S. Armed Forces

Gerry, Norma	Nurse Cadet Corps
Hall, Margaret	North Oklahoma Junior College
Hall, Winston	U. S. Armed Forces
Hilton, Elizabeth	McClellan's
Hull, Marie	Abbott Machine Shop
LaMontagne, Lorraine	Civil Service, Washington, D. C.
Langille, Priscilla	Hairdressing School
Locicero, Vera	People's Laundry
Lorden, Dorothy	Civil Service, Washington, D. C.
Lynch, Dorothy	At Home
McEntee, Rose	N. H. School of Accounting and Finance
Mercier, Aura Santti	Housewife
Mitchell, Frances	Abbott Machine Shop
Muro, John	U. S. Armed Forces
Parkhurst, Mabel	Civil Service, Washington, D. C.
Peavey, Sarah	University of N. H.
Perkins, Clayton	U. S. Armed Forces
Prestipino, Vincent	U. S. Armed Forces
Rand, Dorothy	Nurse Cadet Corps
Randall, Constance	Nurse Cadet Corps
Rocca, Mary	Nashua Business College
Smith, James	U. S. Armed Forces
Stanley, Roman	U. S. Armed Forces
Stimson, Donald	Hampshire Hills Farm
Stinson, Virginia	N. H. School of Accounting and Finance
Sturtevant, Harvey	U. S. Armed Forces
Trow, Edith	Hairdressing School
Von Iderstine, Anna	Abbott Machine Shop
Whitten, Chester	U. S. Armed Forces
Wilkins, Evelyn	Nurse Cadet Corps

REPORT OF HEALTH SUPERVISION 1943-1944

Dr. Oscar Burns, Examiner

Esther E. McCormick, R. N., School Nurse

Number of children examined: 521

The following defects and treatments were reported:

	Defects	Treatments	Corrected
Underweight	5	4	3
Defective vision	11	3	7
Defective hearing	1	1	
Deformity	6	6	
Defective teeth	239	17	34
Diseased tonsils, adenoids, defective breathing	59	3	14
Enlarged glands	5	3	3
Umbilical hernia	1	1	1

Parents were informed of all the above cases.

Diseases reported:

Chicken Pox	48
Scarlet Fever	12
Measles	20
Mumps	18
Whooping Cough	7
Pediculosis	5
Skin diseases	14

RETURN OF SCHOOL CENSUS**September 1944**

Leona Buxton, Enumerator

Number of boys enumerated 5 to 16	247
Number of girls enumerated 5 to 16	255
Total enumerated 5 to 16	502
Number 5 to 8 not in school	24
Number 8 to 14 not in school	1
Number 14 to 16 not in school	1
Number 5 to 16 registered in Milford schools September 30, 1944	522
Number over 16 registered in Milford schools September 30, 1944	116
Number 5 to 16 attending school outside Milford	0
Number 5 to 16 who live in other towns attending Milford schools	46

REPORT OF COMMITTEE TO REPRESENT THE TOWN IN MATTER OF WILLIAM Y. WADLEIGH TRUST FUND

To the Town of Milford:

The committee which was appointed to represent the Town in the matter of the William Y. Wadleigh Memorial Library Trust Fund has made a careful study of plans of other libraries and has visited library buildings of recent construction. Consultations have been held with Kilham, Hopkins & Greeley, a firm of Architects in Boston, together with Miss Katherine Pratt, connected with the N. H. State Library and with our Librarian, Miss Secombe. Out of these activities have developed plans and specifications which will be presented at the forthcoming Town Meeting. We are confident that these plans will meet the approval of the citizens of the Town at the Annual Meeting in March. Construction can not start until labor and materials are available.

We recommend the continuance of the committee with the present or other personnel to further represent the Town in this matter.

FINANCIAL ACCOUNT

Balance on hand		\$519 61
Paid for land survey	\$ 54 00	
Paid Architect	400 00	
	-----	454 00

		\$ 65 61
Interest on Savings Account		4 01

Balance now on hand		\$ 69 62

The Architects have accumulated charges against the trust fund in excess of \$1100.00 for work which they have already done. No provision was made in

the Trust Agreement whereby the Architects could be reimbursed from said Trust Fund until construction has actually been started. Your Committee has advanced to them the sum of \$400.00 out of funds appropriated for the use of this committee. This advanced payment will be returned to your Committee when funds are available from the Trust.

C. S. EMERSON, Chairman,
MINNIE W. FALCONER, Clerk,
BENJ. F. PRESCOTT, Treasurer,
GERTRUDE N. HOWISON,
MARIO D. BIANCHI,
A. WALLACE WILKINS,
OWEN P. FISK.

February 19, 1945

MILFORD LIBRARY GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

GENERAL CONSTRUCTION.

Fireproof, first class, with timber roof.

WALLS.

Red water-struck brick with granite trimmings.

ROOF.

Purple slate with copper flashings on slopes, Barrett specification composition on flat portions.

FLOORS.

Reinforced concrete structure with linoleum or asphalt tile surface in first and second floors, granolithic in basement.

STAIRS.

Steel construction with linoleum or asphalt tile treads.

INTERIOR FINISH.

Ash, oak or walnut.

STACKS.

Steel, Sneed or equal.

HEATING.

Steam, oil burning.

PLUMBING.

Best quality.

LIGHTING.

Latest type, either indirect or fluorescent, but subject to further study at the time.

REPORT OF WAR HISTORIAN

Appropriation \$100—1944

Used for purchase of scrap book and refills for Library, with all war clippings in the Milford Cabinets since September 12, 1940, material for records of service men and women, stationery, stamps, etc., \$36.76. Balance on hand \$63.24.

At the time this was submitted there were 500 who have entered the service, ten of whom have made the supreme sacrifice, eighteen wounded, one missing, and thirty-two discharged.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. RAYMOND WRIGHT.

February 23, 1945.

MILFORD'S HONOR ROLL, WORLD WAR II

Fred O. Adams
Herbert L. Adams
Dexter P. Appleford
Wayne Ashford
Charles Aveni
Frederick H. Ayers, Jr.
George F. Ayers
†Robert W. Bagley
Roy Bailey
†Lawrence C. Bales
George Barbour
Raymond Barbour
§†Thomas B. Barbour, Jr.
Albert T. Bascom
Ralph E. Batchelder
Reginald L. Batchelder
§Valmore J. Beaudrault
John Beaver
§John Bellew
Louis M. Bernasconi
Pierre J. Bernasconi, Jr.
Victor F. Bernasconi
David Bianchi
Richard Bianchi
Raymond A. Bishop
‡Paul F. Bizel
Ernest Bjork, Jr.
J. Herbert Blais
George F. Blanchard
Edward J. Blanchette

Joseph E. Blanchette
Robert S. Boak, Jr.
†Roland E. Boisvert
William H. Bonney
John J. Bosa
Ernest Bourke
Theodore S. Bourn, Jr.
Winthrop Bourn
*Carl K. Bowen, Jr.
Gordon P. Bowler
Winston H. Bowler
John T. Bowley
Paul F. Broderick
Donald M. Brown
Gregory Brown
Joseph Brown
§Kenneth L. Brown
Nelson J. Brown
Norman A. Brown
Theodore Q. Brown
Donald C. Bruce
John P. Bruce
William J. Brunelle
Olaf Brusquini
Alfred Buffelli
Frank G. Buhrig
Fred W. Buhrig
William H. Buhrig
Ernest H. Burgeson, Jr.
Richard L. Burgeson

John W. Burns
 Harry R. Buxton
 Kenneth E. Buxton
 Robert C. Buzzell
 Donald Byrd
 Dorothy F. Cain
 Emelio J. Calderara
 John E. Calderara
 Joseph A. Calderara
 Robert W. Carleton
 Clarence C. Carlton
 Arthur F. Carnes
 O. Maurice Carnes
 Antimo F. Carpentieri
 Richard D. Carr
 Edward F. Carter
 ‡Charles Cassanario
 John Cassanario
 Anthony J. Cassarino
 Joseph Cassarino
 Salvatore Cassarino
 James L. Cassidy
 James P. Cassidy, Jr.
 †Thomas S. Cassidy
 Charles Caverzasi
 Arthur F. Chamberlin
 Donald Chandler
 Douglas A. Chandler
 James S. Chandler
 Donald A. Chartier
 Robert N. Chartier
 Ralph Robert Chase
 Charles F. Cheever
 Harry A. Cheney
 Ernest L. Ciardelli
 Eugene Ciardelli
 Raymond Ciardelli
 Edward F. Clark
 Lester L. Clark
 Ralph Clark
 †Richard J. Clark
 Russell T. Clark
 William D. Clark
 George E. Cluche
 Charles C. Coffin
 Herbert F. Coffin
 Cliff R. Colby
 Domenic Comolli
 Donald I. Condon
 Gordon L. Conrey
 †Rudolph J. Consigli
 Edward A. Conti
 George Conti
 Cedric R. Cooley
 Donald L. Cooney
 †Morris L. Courage

Charles B. Craig
 Sebastiano Crisafulli
 Wesley B. Crooker
 †Percy E. Crowell
 James B. Cullinan
 Frederick Curtis
 Charles A. Cutts
 Elwin F. Cutts
 Robert E. Cutts
 †Gennaro J. D'Andrea
 Donald D. Daniels
 Robert B. Davis
 David H. Deans
 Richard L. Deans
 J. Henry Destroismaisons
 Ernando DeVittori
 Ralph T. Dirubbo
 Stewart V. Doucet
 Harry K. Draper
 Richard O. Duerschmidt
 Paul M. Duff
 Duane Dufrane
 Edward J. DuGray
 Leonard Dunklee
 Paul Dutton
 Edward A. Dwyer
 L. Paul Ecklund
 Andrew Elliott, Jr.
 George E. Elliott
 §Clinton E. Ellsworth
 Earl G. Ellsworth
 Charles Emery
 Homer B. Enderson
 William B. Estes
 Ceasar Falsani
 Joan Falsani
 †Rena M. Faustini
 Joseph H. Fay
 Philip Felch
 William Ferguson
 James Ferns
 Alfred Fiske
 Bruce P. Fitch
 Donald J. Fitz
 Irving D. Fitz
 Robert G. Fitz
 †Charles J. Fitzgerald
 Frank L. Fletcher
 Charles Forsyth
 Robert Forsyth
 Lester P. Foster
 Royal Foster
 George A. Fournier
 Roger J. Fradette
 George A. Fraser
 F. Ronald Fraser

Clarence C. Frost
 †Harold G. Frost
 James S. Frost
 John Gallagher
 Armen Garabedian
 Lawrence Gerry
 John H. Gibbons
 William H. Gibbons
 §Roy G. Gilmore
 Thomas J. Gilmore
 Elizabeth M. Goldsmith
 Sidney A. Goodridge
 Oscar P. Goodwin
 Robert A. Gould
 Woodrow T. Grant
 §Rosario J. Grasso
 Salvatore Grasso
 Jean Griffith
 John E. Griffiths
 Robert F. Griffiths
 Aquiline T. Grugnale
 Nicholas Grugnale
 Charles Guidmore
 Robert J. Hagar
 Earl P. Hall
 Clifford Hardy
 Revona M. Hardy
 Douglas Harley
 *Hartley W. Harley
 Webster Harley
 Alan Hasu
 Ernest Hasu
 Richard B. Heald
 Suzanne Heald
 Arthur A. Hendrickson
 Kenneth C. Hills
 †Frank L. Holdner
 John A. Holland
 Chester Houle
 E. Kenton Howard
 William E. Howard
 Frederick A. Hutchinson
 Rollo W. Hutchinson
 §Theodore Hutchinson
 Jacob J. Immonen
 Mario J. Infanti
 George Ingram
 Chester Ireland
 Richard D. Ireland
 Leon J. Jacques
 Charles V. Jarest
 Lawrence E. Jarest
 †J. Alan Jasper
 Donald B. Jenks
 David B. Jennison
 Maurice S. Jewett

Wilho Jokinen
 C. Porter Joslin
 *John H. Keddy
 Marjorie Kendall
 Tauno A. Keskinen
 Victor J. Keskinen
 Walter Keskinen
 Chester L. Kiesling
 George W. Kimball
 Oliver Kimball, Jr.
 John Kirby
 Walter F. Kirby
 Waino Kokko
 William Kokko
 Arvo A. Kolehmainen
 Eino Kolehmainen
 †John M. Kolehmainen
 Eino Koski
 †Neilo Koski
 Rudolph Koski
 §Henry S. Krzyznowski
 Kenneth C. Langdell
 W. Aubrey Langille
 Naomi Lanouette
 Richard W. Lawrence
 Raymond Leeper
 George Lemander
 Nelson Lemner
 †Walter F. Liberty
 Attilio Locicero
 Rosario C. Locicero
 John A. Lord
 Frederick Lorden
 Kenneth Lorden
 Fred Luongo
 John J. Luongo
 Donald E. Lynch
 Kenneth E. Lynch
 Robert C. Lynch
 Italo Macchi
 Richard W. Mackenzie
 Frank E. Maffee
 Charles Magee
 Alfred Mahoney
 John J. Mahoney
 Alfred D. Manning
 Lloyd J. Manning
 Vincent Mannino
 Felice Marchesi
 Primo C. Marcucci
 Raymond Marshall
 Richard B. Marshall
 Leonard J. Martel
 Stanley T. Martel
 John A. Marzoli
 Theodore Matson

*William W. G. Maxwell
 Eugene D. McCue
 James McCue
 Patrick G. McCue
 †Reginald M. McGrath
 Alexander J. McKay
 †Everett W. McLeod
 §William E. McLeod
 Alfred H. Medlyn
 Ernest J. Medlyn
 William A. Medlyn
 Frank P. Melendy
 Herbert S. Merrill
 †Robert G. Merrill
 Ernest Millette
 §Arthur W. Mitchell
 George T. Mitchell
 James A. Mitchell
 Raymond Mitchell
 Wilfred Mitchell
 Christine Moore
 Leonard S. Moore
 Mark M. Moore
 Peter L. Moran
 †John J. Morrison
 Fred Murray
 Alfred G. Nadeau
 John G. Nadeau
 William Nadeau
 Charles F. Naimie
 Frank C. Nartoff
 Alexander S. Newbold
 Charles Newbold
 Edward F. Nichols, Jr.
 Ole A. Nilsen
 Arthur Noon
 Paul R. Northrup
 Edward Norton
 Kenneth L. O'Connell
 Toivo J. Ollikainen
 Edward J. Orso
 William A. Orso
 Ryley M. Osborne
 Harry A. Parker
 Robert Alan Parker
 Truman Parker
 William Lloyd Parker
 Irving W. Patten
 Leon L. Patten
 Roy A. Peacock
 Alfred Pelchat
 Henry J. Pelchat
 Clayton H. Perkins
 Floyd Perkins
 Joseph Perusse
 George Peterson

Toivo Peterson
 Joseph A. Pezzullo
 Norman A. Philbrook
 Richard Phillips
 *Robert Phillips
 Leon Phinney
 Alfred T. Picard
 *James J. Picard
 Richard E. Piper
 William E. Pitman
 Lawrence M. Poor
 †Warren E. Poor
 William I. Powers
 †Harold C. Pratt
 H. Parker Pratt
 Bartolo V. Prestipino
 Charles Prestipino
 Charles Provasoli
 John Provasoli
 Arthur Provencal
 Irving L. Puckett
 Harold E. Putnam
 §Walter Putnam
 Paiazi Querim
 Arthur Rafter
 Robert A. Rafter
 †Clyde C. Randall
 Leonard Randall
 John Ranttila
 Walter Ranttila
 George Raymond
 Charles Ricciardi
 §Karl Ricciardi
 Rosario Ricciardi
 Alfred Riccitelli
 Joseph Riccitelli
 †Melio J. Riccitelli
 Aido Richelli
 †Joseph A. Rizzi
 Ernest Robertson
 Fred Rocca
 Peter F. Rocca
 Duane Rockwell
 Warren L. Rockwell
 Herbert W. Rolf
 John H. Romani
 John S. Ross
 Ernest F. Rossi, Jr.
 Rita M. Rossi
 John E. Rossiter
 Lawrence Rossiter
 William B. Rotch
 Roger G. Roy
 Eino Ruonala
 Eli A. Ruonala
 †Henry E. Ruonala

Walter W. Ruonala
 Warren A. Russell
 §William Salo
 *Howard E. Sanford
 Edward T. Sangster
 Gustave P. Santinelli
 Mario Santinelli
 Richard Santinelli
 James Saraceno
 Salvatore Saraceno
 Victor Saraceno
 †Sam Sario
 Irving M. Savage
 †Winston C. Sears
 Donald Seavey
 Kenneth Seavey
 †Henry G. Shaughnessy
 §Joseph J. Shaughnessy
 Ralph L. Shea
 Charles W. Sibley
 Benjamin W. Signor
 Aldea Silva
 Clyde W. Skillen
 †Ernest P. Smith
 George L. Smith, Jr.
 Harold B. Smith
 James M. Smith
 John F. Smith
 J. Thomas Smith
 *Leroy A. Smith
 Lewis Smith
 Louis R. Smith
 Merton Smith
 *Raymond Smith
 Robert E. Smith
 Fred W. Snell
 Roland Sprague
 Albert W. Steele
 George F. Steele, Jr.
 Edwin E. Stein
 Everett Stickney
 Hazel Stickney
 §Willis E. Stickney
 Carl K. Stimson, Jr.
 Nelson Stinson
 Russell Stinson
 Winston Stinson
 *Alan E. Stitham
 Wallace Stitham
 William R. Stitham
 Clifford P. Stone
 Arlo L. Sturtevant

Harvey W. Sturtevant
 Edward R. Sullivan
 Helen A. Sullivan
 John R. Sullivan
 Joseph V. Sullivan
 Frederic Talbot
 Marion Talbot
 Edward A. Tarbell, Jr.
 Allison Tetlow
 William A. Thompson
 Vincent Tortorelli
 §Harry W. Tostevin
 Harry E. Turner
 Carl R. Ulricson
 John R. Ulricson
 Napoleon Vigneault
 Anthony Villane
 Sam J. Villane
 Donald C. VonIderstine
 James G. VonIderstine
 Martin R. VonIderstine
 §William B. VonIderstine
 Reginald G. Walker, Jr.
 Claire M. Walsh
 Daniel J. Walsh
 Clifford J. Warren
 †John A. Welch
 Theodore G. Wells
 Joseph R. Whalen
 Charles R. Wheeler
 Donald Wheeler
 †Edwin J. Wheeler
 Elmer M. Wheeler
 Karl Wheeler
 §†Joseph White
 James A. Whitehead
 Chester A. Whitten, Jr.
 Milton S. Wilkins
 †James E. Willand
 Eugene A. Wilson
 Onni Wirta
 Clifford L. Wolffer
 Wilfred C. Wolffer
 William Wolffer
 Charles P. Woodbury
 Pauline H. Woods
 Douglas C. Wright
 Ernest W. Wright
 Lawrence Wright
 Raymond Wright
 Douglas Young
 Frederick Young

* Died in Service

† Discharged

‡ Missing

§ Wounded

Marriages Registered in the Town of Milford, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1944

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Age	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, Official Station and Residence of Person by Whom Married
Jan. 1, Milford	Robert William Bagley Ursula Mary Couture	Milford	20	Henry W. Bagley Marion Graham	Whiting, Maine East Machias, Me.	Victor L. Rankin Minister Milford
Jan. 14, Milford	Gilpatrick Edward Calvetti Pauline Elizabeth LaMarche	Tilton Milford	20 23	Gladys Chandonnait Nicola Calvetti Marie D'Amato	Laconia Italy Sicily	Laurence F. Piper Minister Milford
Jan. 14, Milford	Oscar - Prescott Goodwin Hilda Sophia Chase	Wilton Hillsboro Milford	18 45 42	Elmore LaMarche Lucy Eaton Alfred B. Goodwin Laura K. Kimball John Mitchell	Lowell, Mass. Manchester Henniker Hillsboro Helsinki, Finland	W. Fred'k Addison Minister Milford
Jan. 15, Milford	John Ambrose Marzoli Patricia Jewett	Milford Milford	30 24	Sophia Merilinen Ernest H. Marzoli Alice L. Rossi Willis E. Jewett Eva W. Stacey	Italy Quincy, Mass. Milford West Newton, Mass.	W. Fred'k Addison Minister Milford
Jan. 21, Nashua	Ferdinand Henry Sousa Doris Catherine Cardin	Quincy, Mass. Roslindale, Mass. Milford	31 23 27	Anthony J. Sousa Mary Cabral Joseph E. Cardin Mary Mager Dominic Cassarino	Azores Canada New York, N. Y. Augusta, Italy Augusta, Italy	J. Leonard Sweeney Justice of Peace Nashua
Feb. 5, Nashua	Frank Cassarino Elizabeth Annie Consigli	Milford Milford	22 19	Mary Mignosa Luigi Consigli Mary T. Rossi Watson E. Byrd Laura J. Maxwell	Rovigo, Italy Braggsville, Mass. Amherst Littleton Lawrence, Mass.	Irenece D. Ravenelle Justice of Peace Nashua
Feb. 14, Milford	Donald M. Byrd Cecelia Elizabeth Devine	Milford Wilton	18	Joseph W. Devine Mae G. Kelly John Buxton	Sheffield, England Sheffield, England Fullerville, N. Y.	Laurence F. Piper Minister Milford
Mar. 19, New Boston	Kenneth Ernest Buxton Mary Margaret Heath	Milford New Boston Quincy, Mass.	23 23 24	Elsie E. Curtis Howard Heath Mable McLaughlin Joseph D. Gill Ellen Cahill Ernest F. Rossi Agnes E. Gallagher	Ireland Ireland Quincy, Mass. Charlestown, Mass.	Louis W. Swanson Minister New Boston
Apr. 9, Milford	Thomas Joseph Gill Virginia Frances Rossi	Milford	23			Thomas N. Quirk Catholic Priest Milford

Apr. 15, Amherst	Harley Riley	Milford	64	Henry Riley Sarah Ward	Marksfield, England	Amos F. Chase Minister Amherst
Apr. 22, Wilton	Lura Alhora Walter Connie	Milford	55	George C. Hadley Lizzie A. Goss	Hancock Hudson	M. J. Moher Catholic Priest Wilton
May 13, Wolfeboro	Doris Ceceila Alfred D. Manning	Brooklyn, Miss.	31	Benjamin F. Snyder Julia E. Morren	Virginia Mississippi	John E. MacMartin Minister Wolfeboro
May 14, Milford	Sadie R. Bennett James William Genevieve Gertrude	Milford	36 27	Joseph Martin Annie Bellemore Ralph G. Mannings	Canada Canada Milford	Edmund F. Quirk Catholic Priest Milford
May 27, Manchester	Ernest Hendrick Lois Lord Priestley	Wolfeboro	27	Ruth A. Bellings Maurice P. Bennett Annie Kidd	Fitchburg, Mass. Tuffonboro Scotland	Edred May Minister Manchester
June 3, Milford	Robert Ford Locke Lucille Dorothy	Roxton, Texas	21	James W. Clark Pearl Hutchinson	Tennessee	Laurence F. Piper Minister Milford
June 14, Nashua	Harold David Fant Lois Blanche Wright	Milford	19	Quirino Rocca Helenetta Napoleon	Rome, Italy Naples, Italy	Otto Lyding Minister Nashua
June 16, Milford	LeRoy Oliver Ruth Alene	Worcester, Mass.	23 27	Ernest L. Bjork Edith Sowa Albert Priestley Lois Griffin	Sweden Finland Lawrence, Mass. Lancaster	W. Fred'k Addison Minister Milford
June 18, Temple	Baker Spooner Alvin Wood	Chelmsford, Mass.	39	Howard R. Locke Louise L. Ford Mario D. Bianchi	Beachmont, Mass. Hyde Park, Mass. Quincy, Mass.	Timothy Paddon Minister Temple
July 11, Hillsboro	Velma Clintina Lionel Bradbury	Milford	35	Winifred L. Bowler John Fant Elizabeth Longwich	Mt. Sorrel, England Sweden Sweden	Frank A. M. Coad Minister Hillsboro
July 26, Milford	Jeannette Elliott Frank Gilbert	Greenville	26	Charles P. Wright Maude F. Brown Ephraim A. Wheeler	BillERICA, Mass. Lowell, Mass. Mores Fork, N. Y.	Don'ld H. McAninch Minister Nashua
	Elsie Dorothy Mandigo	Milford	20	Bessie Smith Newton C. Baker Cora M. Ficks	Goffstown Mifflinberg, Penn. Milton, Penn.	
		West Roxbury, Mass.	23	Alvin W. Holt Sadie L. Lovejoy Edward R. Curtis	Temple Lempster, N. H. Wilton	
			19	Velma V. Maxwell Leon H. Bradbury Ethel Chamberlain	Providence, R. I. Claremont Washington, N. H.	
				John A. Elliott Ariel McNeil Fred Buhrig	Mason Nova Scotia Germany	
				Anna E. Goebel Edson F. Mandigo	Germany Boston, Mass.	
				Elsie D. Thompson	Aberdeen, Scotland	

July 29, Milford	Paul Whitney	Baker	Cleveland, Ohio	25	Granville W. Baker	Unknown	Leland L. Maxfield
	Elizabeth Joyce	Colby	Seituate, Mass.	19	Nellie Eaton	Unknown	Minister
Aug. 5, Amherst	Charles George	Newbold	Milford	21	William E. Colby	Belows Falls, Vt.	Amos F. Chase
	Lucy Mary Spoffard	Spoffard		20	Charles H. Newbold	Westerly, R. I.	Minister
Aug. 5, Milford	Richard Edward	Jackson	Manchester	23	Madeline B. Stewart	Glasgow, Scotland	Laurence F. Piper
	Barbara Anne	Gibbons	Milford	18	Arthur Spoffard	Lowell, Mass.	Minister
Aug. 13, Milford	David Richard	Aborn	Hartford, Conn.	20	Freda Reuther	New Haven, Conn.	Minister
	Harriet Edith	Richardson	Milford	19	Loomis Jackson	Vermont	Laurence F. Piper
Aug. 20, Rye, N. H.	Fred Eleazer	Cooley	Milford	72	Dolly Clegg	New Hampshire	Minister
	Wellie Owen	Fisk	Milford	66	John J. Gibbons	Milford	Minister
Aug. 26, Milford	Clelan Gleason	Winn	East Pepperell, Mass.	34	Louise Dummett	Liverpool, England	Russell R. Bletzer
	Emily Bernice	Frye	Milford	39	Clair Chesley	Zion, Ill.	Minister
Sept. 16, Nashua	Charles Joseph	Fitzgerald	Milford	27	Harry P. Richards'n	Milford	Herbert Walker
	Mary Anita	Reilly	Nashua	24	Margaret F. Harper	Richmond, Quebec	Minister
Sept. 18, Milford	George William	Bliss	Amherst	30	Edward A. Cooley	Whately, Mass.	Don'd H. McAninch
	Catherine Agnes	O'Connell	Milford	27	Eva J. Briggs	Hatfield, Mass.	Minister
Oct. 1, Milford	Howard Edmond	Eagles	Lynn, Mass.	43	Lucinda Lang	Buxton, Maine	Rev. L. F. Quinn
	Erna Henricka	Johnson	Bedford, Mass.	42	Idella S. Weld	Fryeburg, Me.	Catholic Priest
Oct. 14, Milford	Robert Cowan	Campbell	Boston, Mass.	24	Harry A. Frye	Pepperell, Mass.	E. F. Quirk
	Verna Grace	Doucet	Milford	26	Eva B. Fessenden	Southbridge, Mass.	Catholic Priest
Oct. 15, Milford	Charles Francis	Curtis	Milford	25	Edw. P. Fitzgerald	Milford	W. Fred'k Addison
	Opal Elizabeth	Brown	Pontiac, Mich.	23	Emma Schmidt	Nova Scotia	Minister
					Annie M. Scanlon	Norway	W. Fred'k Addison
					Clarence L. Bliss	Scotland	Minister
					Lydia Keefer	Newfoundland	Milford
					Bern'd L. O'Connell	Greenfield	
					Esther M. Smith	Scotland	
					Charles O. Eagles	Wilton	
					Josephine McInnis	Nova Scotia	
					Mons Johnson	Norway	
					Olea Hanson	Norway	
					Alexander Campbell	Scotland	
					Ethel M. Shaw	Newfoundland	
					Benjamin Doucet	Greenfield	
					Flora Vernon	Scotland	
					Edward R. Curtis	Wilton	
					Velma V. Maxwell	Sudbury, Mass.	Lyle Lieder
					Thomas J. Brown	Winchester, Ind.	Minister
					Ida J. Huffman	Munchin, Ind.	Milford

Nov. 5, Hudson	Gerald Eugene Blanchard Doris June Gavin	Milford Nashua	21 19	Wm. W. Blanchard Iva May Sanborn John D. Gavin Viola Weightman James F. Mullen Mary C. Phinney Everard L. Willson Ellen K. O'Leary Stephen D'Urso Antonia Mangeri Joseph E. Palmer Elizabeth A. Tibbetts Paul W. Lund Emmi Vuari Charles E. Mayer Bessie E. Herrick Augustus Provasoli Angelina Puricelli Fred Noon Mary H. Hodgson Clifton H. Glover Isabel M. Grant Shep'rd A. Ramsdell Ethel L. Farmer Clarence G. Frost Martha E. Byan Sam'l B. Thompson Fayetta Brown	Milford North Stratford New York Nashua Natick, Mass. Milton, Mass. Mankato, Minn. Bantry, Ireland Sicily, Italy Sicily, Italy Tilton Kaleigh, Mass. Finland Finland Manchester Lyndeboro Verse, Italy Verse, Italy Kerwick, England Unknown Amherst Wilton Salem, N. H. Phillips, Me.	Stanley J. Keach Minister Hudson
Nov. 11, Milford	Joseph Anthony Mullen Edith Mary Willson	Milford Milford	38 32		Benj. F. Prescott Justice of Peace Milford	
Nov. 22, Amherst	Joseph D'Urso Arlene Mae Pollard	No. Andover, Mass. No. Andover, Mass.	42 44		Horton S. Allen Justice of Peace Amherst	
Nov. 25, Wilton	Onni Oliver Lund Lillian Lucy Mayer	Milford Wilton	27 25		Russell R. Bletzer Minister Wilton	
Nov. 25, Milford	John Joseph Provasoli	Milford	30		Edmund F. Quirk Catholic Priest Milford	
Nov. 30, Hollis	Elizabeth Hodgson Noon Stanley Earl Glover	Manchester Hollis	22 17		Walter P. Brockway Minister Hollis	
Dec. 28, Townsend, Mass.	Avis Roberta Ramsdell Clarence C. Frost Elsie E. Thompson	Milford Milford Townsend	25 28 33		Sherman Goodwin Minister Townsend	

Births Registered in the Town of Milford, N. H., for Year Ending December 31, 1944

Date and Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 2, Nashua	Susan Mary	John R. Stoddard	Verna Goodale	Clinton, Mass.	New Boston - Hillsboro
Jan. 7, Manchester	Janet Arline	Ralph Twitchell, Jr.	Anita Haskell	Cambridge, Mass.	Boston, Mass.
Jan. 11, Nashua	Patricia Lee	Irving L. Puckett	Nancy Ann Romeo	Milford	Hillsboro
Jan. 22, Concord	Sylvia Frances	John E. Gould	Mad'lene Sturtevant	Suncook, N. H.	Woonsocket, R. I.
Jan. 25, Nashua	Roger Alan	Louis Aveni	Loretta Gros-Louis	Wallaceton, Penn.	Lowell, Mass.
Feb. 9, Manchester	Charles Edouard	Roland Levesque	Eva Durand	Nashua, Mass.	Portsmouth
Feb. 17, Nashua	William Michael	William E. Pitman	Katherine E. Moran	Lowell, Mass.	Boston, Mass.
Mar. 6, Nashua	Karl Edgar	Edgar Norwood, Jr.	Madaline I. Oldfield	Medford, Mass.	Milford
Apr. 10, Nashua	Arlene Isabelle	Raymond J. Rush	Frances Ellsworth	E. Templeton, Mass.	Concord
Apr. 10, Concord	Andrea Althea	William P. McBeain	Astrid E. Franzen	Aberdeen, Scotland	Wilton
Apr. 13, Nashua	Thomas David	Philip P. Felch, Sr.	Rita A. Martin	Nashua	Grafton
Apr. 18, Peterboro	Susan Alice	Harold S. Remick	Gladys Underhill	Bristol	Bromptonville, Can.
Apr. 23, Nashua	Nancy Amanda	Perley G. Chappell	Diana A. Martel	Clarksville, N. H.	Manchester
Apr. 24, Goffstown	Wayne Keeley	Edw. J. Williams	Lauretta M. Gingras	England	Worcester, Mass.
Apr. 30, Nashua	Sharon Diane	Donald McCormack	Dorothy D. Rebidue	Nova Scotia, Can.	Wilton
May 4, Nashua	Diana	Gennaro D'Andrea	Sylvia M. Wesoja	Milford	Lowell, Mass.
May 13, Nashua	Robert Kingsbury	Willard K. Holt	Madelene B. Roby	Nashua	Fitchburg, Mass.
May 13, Fitchburg	William Kenton	Chester Kiesling	Doris Wazal	Leominster, Mass.	Wilton
June 4, Nashua	Timothy Ronald	Lawrence E. Hubley	Gladys E. Robinson	Amherst	Hubbardston, Mass.
June 14, Nashua	Charles Raymond	Kenneth S. Hall	Gertrude Cummings	Brookline	Weld, Maine
June 15, Nashua	Susan Adell	Vernice E. Dean	Edith M. Hardy	Nashua	Glasgow, Scotland
June 15, Nashua	Phillip Joseph	John J. McEntee	Bridget M. Flanagan	Ireland	Nashua
July 14, Nashua	Richard Everett	Russell B. Philbrick	Gladys S. Chase	Milford	Milford
July 17, Nashua	Paul Michael	Sam J. Villane	Margaret L. Young	Milford	South Lyndeboro
July 18, Nashua	Harold Lloyd	Daniel H. Webster	Geraldine M. Draper	Milford	Hollis
July 20, Nashua	Richard Jameson	Robert F. Bearce	Mildred L. Jameson	Chelsea, Mass.	Milford
Aug. 2, Nashua	Richard Wesley	Wesley E. Nichols	Myrtle S. Webster	Mont Vernon	Milford
Aug. 6, Nashua	Craig Joseph	Joseph Cassarino	Pearl E. Sanderson	Milford	Brookline
Aug. 14, Groton	Carl Walter	John W. Towne	Bernice R. Corey	Amherst	Peterborough
Aug. 14, Peterboro	Douglas Roy	Roy E. Rebidue	Doris McQuade	Worcester, Mass.	Milford
Aug. 21, Nashua	Joan Beth	Joseph M. Krush	Antoinette Carbone	Nashua	Manchester
Sept. 1, Nashua	Mary	Melio Riccielli	Emmogene Tuttle	Milford	Wakefield, Mass.
Sept. 6, Nashua	Weston Francis	Weston E. Trombly	Mildred Welch	East Barre, Vt.	Milford
Sept. 9, Milford	Sandra	Walter J. Philbrick	Lovica Wright	Milford	Marshfield, Oregon
Sept. 10, Nashua	Gary Hamilton	Hale H. Sargent	Evelyn Oleman	Chelsea, Vt.	Oxford, Nova Scotia
Sept. 15, Nashua	Carol Ann	Andr'w C. Elliott Jr.	Olive L. Mary Miles	Wollaston, Mass.	

Sept. 19,	Nashua	Karen	Lester E. Grant	Georgia Waterman	Milford	Honeoye Falls, N. Y.
Sept. 20,	Nashua	Marilyn	Rolland D. Camp	Dor'thy B. Robinson	Littleton	Milford
Sept. 21,	Nashua	Richard	Daniel J. Fraser	Annie Bray	Milford	Lestershire, Eng.
Oct. 10,	Nashua	Mary Lyman	Howard M. Wheeler	Fraunce Beverstock	Milford	Keene
Oct. 12,	Nashua	Jon Allen	Scott E. Gangloff	Marian A. MacCann	Milford	Nashua
Oct. 27,	Nashua	Jo Ellen	Salvatore Grasso	Muriel H. Bowler	Milford	Milford
Oct. 30,	Nashua	Leonard Joseph	Joseph L. Harten	Maxine A. Jackson	Kingston, Ont., Can.	Conway
Nov. 9,	Nashua	Maureen Ann	George J. Walsh	Anna L. Nichols	Chicago, Ill.	Brookline
Nov. 11,	Nashua	Robert David -	Edmond N. Briand	Elizabeth Leach	Nashua	Nashua
Nov. 12,	Nashua	Eleanor Louise	Donald M. Brown	Jeannette Linton	Milford	Waltham, Mass.
Nov. 15,	Nashua	Garry	Ernest C. Howe, Jr.	Ida D. Johnson	Weston, Mass.	Quincy, Mass.
Nov. 19,	Milford	William David	Kenneth R. Martel	Mabel Burgeson	Wilton	Amherst
Nov. 19,	Nashua	David Dodge	Malcolm M. Carter	Dor'thy E. Jennison	Concord, Mass.	Milford
Dec. 13,	Nashua	Arthur Carl	Fr'd'k M. Wetherbee	Mary C. Butler	Milford	North Woodstock
Dec. 17,	Nashua	John David	Edna M. Mitchell	Edna M. Mitchell	Milford	Milford
Dec. 24,	Nashua	Jean	Carl H. Frye	Margaret A. Berube	Wilton	Wilton

Deaths Registered in the Town of Milford, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1944

Date and Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age	Name of Father	Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 2, Milford	Vernon A. Patten	1	Orion Patten	Marjorie Bills	Alexander, N. H.	Amherst
Jan. 4, Milford	Fred Jones	75	William A. Peabody	Laura Bedell	Milford	No. Berwick, Me.
Jan. 8, Milford	Cora Belle Hodgman	75	Herman A. Sheehan	Mildred Gutferson	Milford	Milford
Jan. 21, Milford	Annie A. Sheehan	74	Timothy Sheehan	Joahana Herr	Co. Cork, Ireland	Co. Cork, Ireland
Jan. 22, Nashua	Lucy Whipple	86	John A. Whipple	Elizabeth Mann	Grafton, Mass.	Boston, Mass.
Jan. 25, Milford	Thos. Geo. Iannicelli	72	Joseph Iannicelli	Unknown	Pontelandolfo, Italy	Unknown
Feb. 15, Milford	Grace Newbold	83	Robert McCaul	Jessie McCutcheon	Scotland	Scotland
Feb. 17, Concord	Laura Silveri	54	Louis Diaferia	Unknown	Italy	Italy
Feb. 18, Milford	Martha M. Bills	45	David Nathans	Georgiana Ames	Unknown	Unknown
Feb. 20, Milford	Willard K. Holt	28	Charles W. Holt	Clarissa Gray	Milford	Unknown
Feb. 22, Milford	Ella G. Ferguson	81	Andrew Russell	Annie Martin	Belmont, Mass.	Tewksbury, Mass.
Feb. 23, Goffstown	Frank Heelon	58	William J. Heelon	Mary E. Smith	BillERICA, Mass.	Ireland
Feb. 28, Milford	Ella B. Stevens	91	Aaron Magoon	Sylvia Woodward	Unknown	Unknown
Mar. 7, Nashua	Charles D. Hawkins	5	Harry Hawkins	Caroline M. Savage	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Groveton
Mar. 8, Milford	Angela E. Burns	80	Albert Burr	Ethel Sears	Greenfield	Greenfield
Mar. 14, Milford	Norman C. Dutton	30	Arthur Dutton	Unknown	Milford	Haverlock, N. B.
Mar. 18, Milford	Alexander E. Upham	83	Unknown	Irene M. Bumford	Unknown	Unknown
Mar. 30, Goffstown	Carl R. Forsyth	9	John Forsyth	Unknown	Dalbeattie, Scotland	Manchester
Apr. 5, Shelburne, Mass.	Alexander F. Milne	79	George Milne	Ellen Putnam	Scotland	Scotland
Apr. 8, Milford	Mary F. Whittier	62	Elmer A. Bennett	Mary McGinnis	Canterbury, N. H.	Nashua
Apr. 8, Goffstown	John Elliott	54	Richard Elliott	Emma Brooks	Nashua	Nova Scotia
Apr. 13, Milford	George H. Sprague	65	George H. Sprague	Mary Mafe	Unknown	Sterling, Mass.
Apr. 14, Peterboro	William J. McKenzie	72	Wm. H. McKenzie	Olive Brown	St. John, N. B.	Unknown
Apr. 16, Goffstown	Charles Bennett	77	Winthrop Bennett	Charlotte Pierce	Dover	Augusta, Me.
Apr. 25, Milford	Addie C. Merrill	71	John A. French	Unknown	Dunstable, Mass.	Stoneham, Mass.
Apr. 25, Milford	Charles Clay	62	Unknown	Sarah Barnes	Finland	Finland
May 12, Milford	Georgia A. Johnson	86	Daniel O. Green	Deborah J. Smith	Reading, Mass.	Stoneham, Mass.
May 22, Wilton	Otis W. Joslin	79	Henry H. Curtis	Margaret	Lyndeboro	Wilton
May 26, Milford	Sarah C. Bowley	77	William Croft	Emeline Smith	Canada	New York City
May 28, Milford	William A. Holt	73	Charles F. Holt	Elizabeth Veilleux	Antrim	Mont Vernon
June 3, Goffstown	Charles E. Little	65	John B. Little	Susan Bancroft	Canada	Canada
June 4, Milford	Alice B. Wadleigh	75	Albert Conant	Jannette Turnbull	Mont Vernon	New Ipswich
June 5, Nashua	Deloraine Griffiths	46	John B. Christy	Marguerit Sullivan	Londonderry, N. S.	Unknown
June 8, Milford	Jeanette A. Nelson	83	Andrew Thompson	Julia Fiske	Norway	Louisiana
June 9, Concord	Herbert Crosby	72	George Crosby	Abbie Marden	Milford	N. H.
June 13, Milford	Mary A. Varnum	64	Wash'gt'n Harriman	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown
June 13, Milford	Frances Larner	80	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown

June 19,	Milford	Edward Salo	55	5	1 Unknown	Unknown	Finland	Finland
June 26,	Milford	Aime Gros-Louis	64	1	25 Effienne MacKenzie	Unknown	Quebec, Canada	Unknown
June 29,	Concord	Edith E. MacKenzie	73	4	26 William MacKenzie	Mary Hutchinson	U. S. A.	U. S. A.
July 11,	Milford	Michael F. Boyle	77		Unknown	Mary Conley	Co. Cavern, Ireland	Ireland
July 11,	Goffstown	John Peterson	69		Unknown	Amanda Sawyer	Sweden	Sweden
July 12,	Milford	Minnie F. Brigham	78	6	26 George Brigham	Unknown	W. Boylston, Mass.	W. Boylston, Mass.
July 26,	Nashua	Andrew V. Pillsbury	74	4	16 Chas. V. Pillsbury	Martha J. Philbrick	Croydon, N. H.	Springfield, N. H.
July 30,	Milford	Rose Nelson O'Neil	74	5	11 Francis Nelson	Bridget Gill	England	Ireland
Aug. 2,	Milford	Albert M. Stonehouse	65	1	8 Adam E. Stonehouse	Jeanette Mace	Lexington, Indiana	Unknown
Sept. 2,	Nashua	Mary Riccitelli	67	2	1 Melio Riccitelli	Emmogene Tuttle	Milford	Manchester
Sept. 7,	Milford	Robert J. Taylor	67	2	3 Robert Taylor	Unknown	Providence, R. I.	Unknown
Sept. 12,	Milford	Ellen M. McCarty	81	1	5 Michael O'Toole	Martha Gallagher	West Port, Ireland	Ireland
Sept. 14,	Goffstown	Edwin Caldwell	78	3	5 Edward A. Caldwell	Philomenia Cheever	Amherst	Lowell, Mass.
Sept. 29,	Milford	Ellen Harrison	77	2	5 Richard Hughes	Rachel Harrison	Paisley, Scotland	Scotland
Oct. 6,	Milford	Stephen M. Tonella	42	4	10 Charles Tonella	Emelia Comolli	Angera, Italy	Breno Useria, Italy
Oct. 16,	Milford	Joseph W. Bryant	89	1	5 Elias P. Bryant	Susan B. Wilson	Stoneham, Mass.	Unknown
Oct. 21,	Nashua	Mary E. Cassidy	68	1	27 James Ryan	Ellen Condon	Ireland	Ireland
Oct. 21,	Milford	Philip F. Bergeron	73	9	29 Marcelain Bergeron	Emiline Marchand	Canada	Canada
Oct. 26,	Milford	Mary B. Bowler	76	2	16 Thomas Baum	Elizabeth Widdecomb	England	England
Oct. 26,	Goffstown	Marcus Kimball	85	2	4 Joseph Kimball	Mary Temple	Mercedith	Hopkinton, Mass.
Nov. 2,	Milford	Joseph Keeley	71	1	16 Michael J. Keeley	Rose Clancy	Ireland	Ireland
Nov. 5,	Nashua	Patricia Aveni	3	2	24 Louie Aveni	Loretta Gros-Louis	Walleston, Pa.	Rhode Island
Nov. 8,	Peterboro	Mary E. Davis	76	10	13 Faulkner	Unknown	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia
Nov. 10,	Milford	Helen E. Secomb	83	5	29 Jesse O. Robinson	Helen O. Secomb	Mont Vernon	Mont Vernon
Nov. 15,	Milford	Annette Morgan	85	1	24 John Graham	Lois Chute	Nova Scotia	Bear River, N. S.
Nov. 17,	Milford	William P. LeClaire	77	3	10 Pierre LeClaire	Maria M. Magassa	Briancon, France	Turin, Italy
Nov. 27,	Nashua	Lucia DePaoli	58	8	19 Peter DePaoli	Madoline Zulianno	Istrago, Italy	Istrago, Italy
Dec. 13,	Nashua	George H. Martin	74	9	17 Frank Martin	Fannie Blair	Malone, N. Y.	Chateaugay, N. Y.
Dec. 15,	Milford	Catherine Sullivan	75	9	John Tighe	Mary Bradley	Ireland	Ireland
Dec. 18,	Milford	Alice K. Kendall	87	5	6 Alvah Dodge	Alice Carr	Antrim	Antrim
Dec. 19,	Nashua	Bertha M. Richardson	69	6	28 Mortimer W. Brooks	Orilla	Vermont	Ulverton, Canada

Brought From Away and Buried in Town.

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age			Cemetery
			Years	Months	Days	
Feb. 12,	West Haven, Conn.	Walter H. Ware	84	9	18	West Street
Feb. 15,	Hudson	Ella S. Sargent	91	1	7	West Street
Feb. 25,	Howard, R. I.	Charles A. Fish	75			Riverside
Mar. 13,	Portsmouth	Eliza F. Salisbury	67			Riverside
Apr. 28,	Amesbury, Mass.	Eva I. Wildes	72	7	8	West Street
June 9,	Newfane, Vt.	Belle Brooks	67	8	5	Riverside
July 16,	Montpelier, Vt.	Richard W. Bugbee		8	28	Riverside
Aug. 11,	Manchester	Dorothy Ireland	20	4	19	Riverside
Aug. 16,	Brooklyn	Alan E. Stitham	18			Riverside
Sept. 26,	Providence	Mary Jane Raevsky	42	3	18	Riverside
Oct. 1,	Mont Vernon	Avery Edward Ward	76	8	6	Riverside
Oct. 9,	San Bernardino, Cal.	Charles Ingalls	82			Riverside
Nov. 2,	Lakeville, Mass.	Effie C. Pillsbury	67	9	20	Riverside
Nov. 2,	Bellevue, Pa.	Mary C. Sargent	96			West Street
Nov. 11,	Boston	Ernest M. Stickney	66	2	18	Riverside
Dec. 3,	Manchester	Joseph Manning	62	6	11	West Street
Dec. 21,	St. Petersburg, Fla.	Frances V. Webster	57			Riverside

Of the Deaths in town in 1944, 27 were carried out of town for burial: Amherst, 6; Wilton, 4; Mason, 1; North Arlington, N. J., 1; Woburn, Mass., 1; Winchester, Mass., 1; Fitchburg, Mass., 2; Newport, Vt., 1; Boston, Mass., 1; Cambridge, Mass., 1; Lawrence, Mass., 1; W. Boylston, Mass., 1; Nashua, 1; Haverstraw, N. Y., 1; North Grafton, Mass., 1; Francestown, N. H., 1; Dover, N. H., 1; Bear River, N. S., 1.

Seventeen were brought from away for burial.

One disinterment from Hope Cemetery, Barre, Vermont, to Riverside Cemetery.

Of the 69 Deaths recorded, 1 was 91, 14 were between 80 and 90, 28 between 70 and 80, 11 between 60 and 70, 5 between 50 and 60, 3 between 40 and 50, 2 between 20 and 30, and 5 under 5.

Of these deaths 34 were male and 35 female.

The Vital Statistics of a town are one of its most important records, not merely for today but for generations to come. If everyone would see to it that the records of their own families were fully and correctly filled out on the Marriage, Birth and Death certificates when handed in, it might be of great use to them or their descendants at some future day, and a great help to us in making out the records of today.

I hereby certify that the foregoing returns are correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Respectfully submitted,

LURA H. KEDDY,
Deputy Town Clerk.

ANOTHER ENEMY TO CONQUER

Here is a home front fight that everyone can get into. Last year in this State 558 brush and forest fires burned over 4,648 acres of land, of which 2,788 acres were valuable timber and young growth. With available manpower the lowest of any year since the war started, you can help to keep this loss down by preventing these fires from starting.

Keep in mind these simple rules:

1. Always get a permit from your forest fire warden before starting any fires in the open. Burning under certain conditions is permitted.

2. Never burn unless you have enough help to control your fire—a permit does not excuse you of negligence in case it gets away.

3. Always report any uncontrolled fire promptly to your forest fire warden. Minutes lost are acres lost.

4. Be especially careful with cigarettes, matches and pipes. Smokers caused most of our fires.

5. Never leave a fire unless it is dead out. You can't feel safe while there is a spark left.

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